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NEW WHOLESALE GROCERY STARTS AT HICKMAN.

Hickman is to have another wholesale grocery store, to be known as the Cash Wholesale Grocery Co., of which Mose Barkett is the head, and John T. Dillon will look after the company's books and office work. Mr. Barkett, who is well known in mercantile circles throughout this section, is in the market this week buying his stocks.

The concern will be located in Barkett's building on Clinton street, better known as the old H. C. Amberg building. Mr. Barkett last year purchased the J. L. Amberg grocery store and stock and has been running a retail grocery in this building, but this stock is being shipped to Bondurant, Ky., to make room for the wholesale concern.

While Hickman already has two big wholesale grocery concerns, Mose believes there is still room for another in this territory, as Cairo, he says, sells considerable goods here—more than enough to satisfy him if he can get that business.

Mr. Dillon is one of the finest accountants and bookkeepers in the State, and Mose is a trade hustler; so the two ought to make a trade-pulling team.

TAX BOOKS READY.

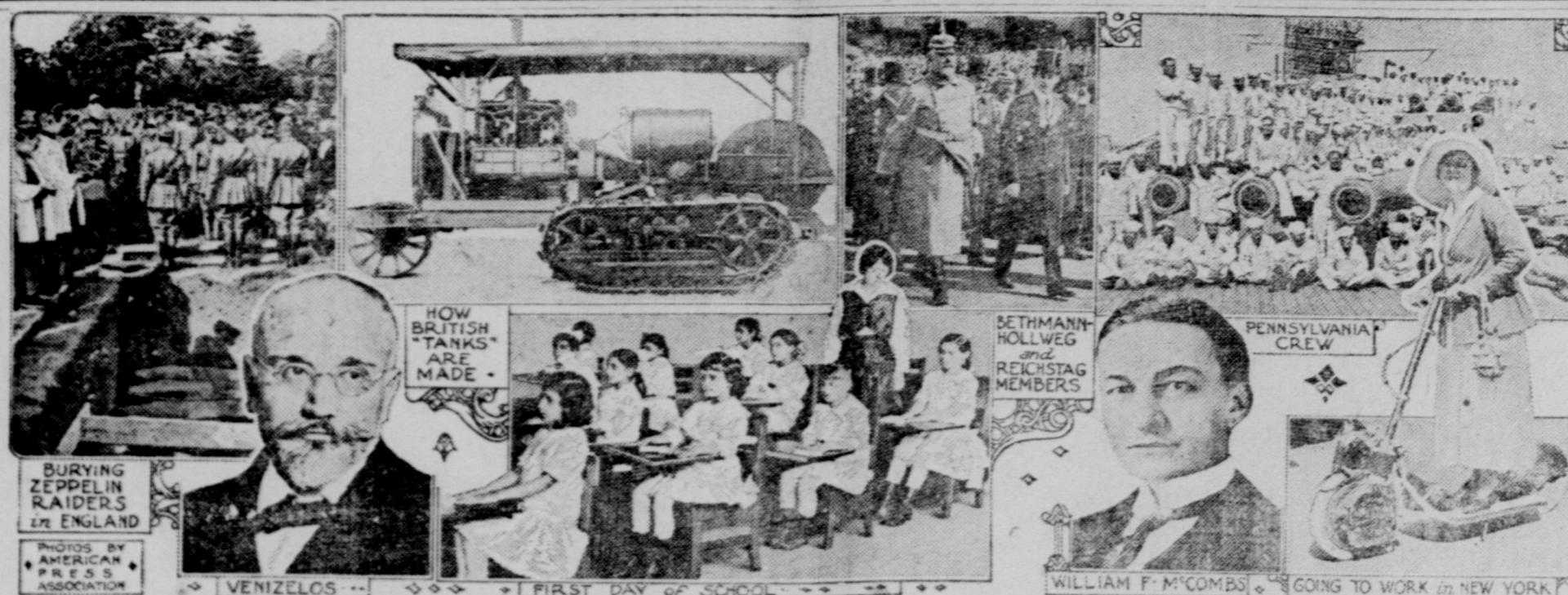
The 1916 tax books are now open. See me at Hickman County & Trust Co., and pay state, county and school tax. Respectfully—Bailey Huddleston, Sheriff of Fulton county.

STOCK BARN BURNS.

Henry McClannahan, of Crutchfield, lost a big barn by fire Sunday night. When discovered the fire had made such progress that nothing could be saved. The barn was stored with baled and loose hay, machinery of all kinds. At the time of the fire two mules, a horse and a cow were in the barn and could not be saved. Insurance amounting to \$800 will partly cover the loss.

Subscriptions to the Courier are rolling in at a rapid rate now-a-days. People we never saw before are coming in and planking down a dollar with orders to "send it a year and don't let me miss a copy."

Miss Ola May Bryant, of Jackson, son, is the guest of Miss Thelma Baltzer.



News Snapshots Of the Week

Although anti-air craft gunners dropped two huge Zeppelins which did considerable damage near London, Germany followed up her loss with another raid. The tieup of the traction systems of New York city has brought into use novel conveyances for getting to and from work. Shooting at an invisible target eleven miles away, the crew of the Pennsylvania scored fourteen hits. The king of Greece became convinced of the necessity of joining the allies in war after ex-Premier Venizelos threatened revolution. The wonderful British armored cars called "tanks" aided in the Somme advance, which engulfed the strategic town of Combles. At the opening of the German reichstag Chancellor Bethmann-Holloweg declared against a ruthless U boat warfare. William F. McCombs, Democrat, and William Calder, Republican, won the nomination for United States senatorship in New York. Believing the paralysis epidemic checked, New York city schools were opened.

COTTON HIGHEST EVER. CREE NETS 7½c IN SEED.

John Creed, local planter and business man, sold a bale of cotton Monday that netted him 7½c in the seed. It was, of course, a nice staple.

Many loads of cotton sold Saturday up to \$6.85 a hundred in the seed, but Mr. Creed's cotton, by reason of having it ginned, turned out an equivalent of 7½c in the seed.

It might also be said that the highest prices ever paid here for cotton was paid yesterday when the market went to 7½c in the seed. The previous high-water mark was made last year when the market touched \$6.20. There is even talk now of seeing cotton, which would be some price, I thank you."

At the present prevailing prices, cotton raisers are enjoying real prosperity; share-croppers are paying out and squaring up many old accounts made back in 1914, when cotton was going at 1½c a pound.

EXCERPTS OF WILSON'S SHADOW LAWN ADDRESS.

Time out of number America has devoted itself to peaceful pursuits, and business is the exception.

There never was a time when the pulse of energy and success beat so high in the blood of America.

It would be intolerable for the commerce of the country to be held up.

I do not regard the principle of the eight-hour day as arbitrable.

Labor is not a commodity but a co-operation.

The chief cloud on the American horizon is the relation between capital and labor. So long as these are antagonistic there will be danger.

Court decisions show that an investigation is the only way to decide whether the railroads can afford an eight-hour day. I believe in the eight-hour day because under the men can do better work.

A way must be found for preventing a repetition of a situation like the threatened railroad strike.

America is never going to say to individuals "you must work," but it is going to tell organizations of men that they shall not interrupt the life of the nation.

SUGAR FAMINE SATURDAY.

For the first time in history, probably, Hickman merchants ran short of sugar Saturday and were unable to secure a pound from either of the local wholesale groceries. This is also reported to have been the situation in Cairo, Union City, Fulton, Martin and other cities in this section.

From what we are able to gather from wholesalers, the big sugar concerns contracted their entire output for two weeks to the French war department. Jobbers and wholesalers have been buying in short orders on account of the unsettled market and were therefore caught without a supply; hence, the retailer was forced into a sugar famine.

Mrs. Nannie Cloar, of Troy, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Val Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Millet, Mr. and Mrs. Sude Naifeh were visitors in Fulton Sunday.

Miss Dora McNeil has accepted a position as stenographer with the Mengel Box Co.

Hon. Josh Catlett, of Princeton, was in the city Monday in the interest of the Democratic work in this district.

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT, it is both healing and antiseptic. Prices 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Ad.

The three Mobley brothers—Ed Herman and Ollie—who waylaid J. W. Collins and his son, Bert, and shot both, last week, near Harris Station—were formerly residents of this city, having moved away from her in January.

TWO BURIED SAME DAY FROM SAME TOWN.

An incident of unusual occurrence was that of two corpses, both from the same town, being brought here on the same day for interment. One of these was the two year old daughter of Mrs. Annie Bradley and the other a small child of Herman Choate, both of Hickman. The little bodies were brought here Monday. The child of Mrs. Bradley was buried in the Bradley graveyard north of town, while the child of Mr. and Mrs. Choate was laid to rest in the city cemetery. Both were girls and only a few months difference in their ages.—Wingo Post.

FUNNY ADDITION SUM.

How many apples did Adam and Eve eat?

Some say Eve 8 and Adam 2—a total of 10 only.

Now we figure the thing out differently: Eve 8 and Adam 8 also—total 16.

We think the above figures entirely wrong.

If Eve 8 and Adam 82, certainly the total will be 90.

Scientific men, however, on the strength of the theory that the antediluvians were a race of giants, reason something like this: Eve 81 and Adam 82—total 163.

Wrong again. What could be clearer than if Eve 81 and Adam 82 the total was 893?

I believe the following to be the true solution: Eve 814 and Adam 8124 Eve—8938.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Some renewals to the Courier this week: John Milner, W. H. Polsgrove, Gene Blakemore, C. E. Eaker, R. G. Gray, S. M. Naifeh, G. M. Covey, W. C. Roberts, Mrs. Nellie Roberts, R. C. Powell, W. H. Young, Rev. L. F. Adams, A. W. Reeves, Mrs. Cassie Jackson, J. J. Seay, C. A. Trusty, Percival Davis, Dr. R. R. Rogers, Naifeh Bros., Mrs. D. B. Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Burgoyne, Mrs. Lou Harper, Hon. William Copeland, Mrs. Mary Dennis, C. H. Moore, Mrs. J. R. Selby, Chas. Noonon, Will Forsythe, R. W. Williams.

Meals 35c at the Price Hotel. Everything firstclass.

Miss Lueile Gabby, of Martin, with a number of friends motorized to this city Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Taylor and children left Tuesday for a visit to her parents at Ralston, Tenn.

Mrs. A. H. Young returned to Union City Sunday after a few days visit with her father, Capt. Hackett, and family.

FOR SALE: Nice 6-room residence in West Hickman. Bath, electric lights, city water, sewers, concrete walks, garden, barn, shade and fruit trees. Big lot and located in upper section of new levee district and good neighborhood. Can be bought for \$1,250, with \$500 down. You couldn't build the house for this money. If interested, call at the Courier office for particulars. 12p

TO TAKE VOTE ON BOND ISSUE FOR STREET WORK.

At the Monday night meeting of the city council, it was decided to submit to the voters of Hickman the proposition of voting \$20,000 bonds for the purpose of street improvement. It will be submitted at the regular November election. It has been calculated that the money we spend patching streets will be sufficient to pay off the bond issue—and this has proven to be the case at Clinton, Fulton and other cities that have built streets by issuing bonds.

As a matter of fact, this issue could not be sold legally unless the water and light bond account, now pending in the court of appeals, should be decided in favor of the city. But there will be no harm done in voting on the issue during the interim. If the city wins in the case, then the bonds can be sold and the work done.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Services for Sunday, Oct. 8th, will be as follows:

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.

Subjects: "Why God Called Him Fool," and "The Great Within," respectively.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.—R. C. Douglass, pastor.

BIDS WANTED

Bids will be received at Cayce on Saturday, Oct. 7th, for building a levee on the Cayce and Moscow road at the point where the Lunsford road approaches said road, said levee to be about 350 cu. yds. The work must start by Oct. 12th.—J. P. Kelly, County Road Engineer.

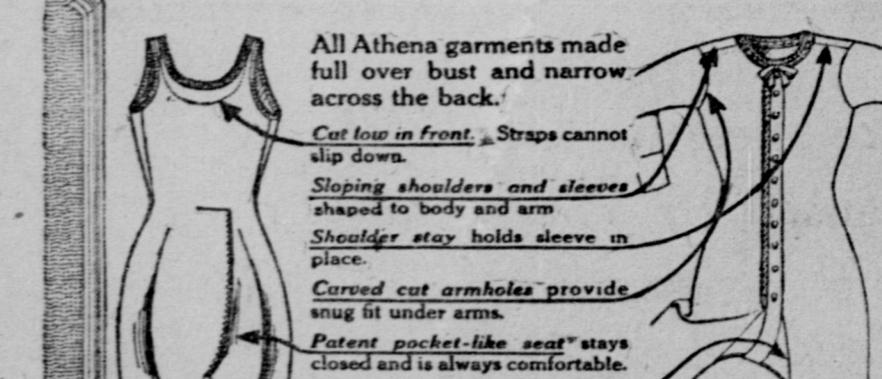
Everybody's busy.

Board and room, by the week, \$5 at the Price Hotel. Recently refitted.

Oscar Usher, of Mayfield, has accepted a position with Sullivan Bros. as salesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm, accompanied by Misses Sarah and Margaret Thomas, of Fulton, visited friends in Hickman Sunday.

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It is the only underwear that is made to fit without stretching over the bust and hips, or without being too full back of the shoulders or at the waist.

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When you get ready to build, let me sell you what you want. I handle everything it requires to build or repair a house. Come and see me; I will give you prices and terms.

W. A. DODDS

NOT PLAYING POLITICS.

The Tennessee national guard, which must be at least 99 per cent Democratic, is ordered to the border while the New York boys, at least 99 per cent Republicans, are ordered to New York, yet the Republicans accuse President Wilson of playing politics with the national guard.

A fashion items says "coat collars are uncommonly high." And so are the coats.

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No more fly screens,
No more lawns,
No more icemen
Every morn,
No more soda,
No more tan,
No more chasing
Summer man,
No more freckles,
No more woes
Over sunburned
Tip of nose,
No more flirting,
On the beach,
No more buglets,
No more screech,
No more ice cream,
Picnic style,
No more ptomaine
For a while,
No more sun
Work in socks,
No more shirtwaist
Full of shocks,
No more rub ring,
At each corner,
No more sunstroke,
No more summer.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel Is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your body like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe. Adv

All prescriptions rechecked at or prescription counter.—Hickman Drug Co.

Mrs. Mary Francis Yates, wife of S. D. Yates, died at the family home in Union City Thursday morning, September 28th.

Why all of this cry over the latest band of black-mailers? Millionaires who dance should not yelp when they have to pay the fiddler.

The Courier can furnish engraved wedding invitations, announcements, cards, stationery, etc., any design under the sun, on short notice. The very highest class steel or copper plate engraving. See our large line of samples.

OLD POEM REVAMPED.

Woodrow Wilson, on a windy day, was out in the field making hay, when the judge came prancing up the lane, stroking his whiskers, now quite tame. New the Judge knew naught of the art of cutting the clean, sweet hay; but he pranced to the tune of lively tones, and danced as he rattled some old dry bones. This hay was cut in the wrong of the moon, it was raked and mowed a mite too soon; the tariff and Teddy were both quite right but the "Dutch" are making a hell of a fight; the "South in the saddle" is riding to ruin, the rebels are grasping in vain at the moon; and, horrors, shame upon shame, thy're fired a Republican out in the rain. The plenty plenty we see is a mirage not real, was another phase of the Judge's spiel, for he had it all down in his book of rules that we'd "anchored our ships in a haven of fools." And then as the Judge went on with his speech, he took a bold swipe at all within reach. He prated and prattled, declared with a vim, that all the virtues were wrapped up in him. "For I am the man the gods have empowered; bosses have chosen and abundantly dowered; I am the Moses, the leader of man; my like is not found, nor will be again. I will do this and I will that. I am telling it straight from under my hat. For whatever is wrong, I surely can fix it; I am aeme, epitome, de jure ipse dixit."—Ex.

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We use the Best Leather and Rubber Heels that can be bought, and we are cheaper in our price than anyone else in town. Have it done while you wait, it does not take long. We also have a nice line of

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Which we sell mighty cheap.
COLLARS AND HARNESS REPAIRED AS GOOD AS NEW

Come in and see us. Located next door to FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK.

THE OLDEST AND BEST SHOP IN TOWN

FELL OFF A TRAIN.

Paul Clark, of Clinton, was badly hurt while on the train coming from Cairo Tuesday night. He, with other boys, was on the rear platform and in some way was thrown from the car and sustained injuries that for a while were regarded as fatal. The accident occurred between Clinton and Arlington. In the fall young Clark's right leg was broken between the knee and the ankle and a bad cut in the calf of the same leg severed the muscle to the bone. He also was badly cut and bruised about the hip and face.

Now Well

"Thedford's Black-Draught is the best all-round medicine I ever used," writes J. A. Steelman, of Pattonville, Texas. "I suffered terribly with liver troubles, and could get no relief. The doctors said I had consumption. I could not work at all. Finally I tried

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The handsome residence property of Mrs. J. M. Reid is now offered for sale. Large, comfortable residence, steam heat, hard wood floors, etc., with nice barn, servants' quarters and all necessary out buildings and spacious grounds. On very attractive terms. On the hill and close in to business section, in splendid neighborhood. If interested, see Mrs. Reid.

THESE OVERLOOKED.

The railroads of the United States employ 350,000 section hands who walk their beat in storm and rain and whose brawn and brain make possible our great transportation systems. Their compensation is not sufficient to feed and clothe their families and their bright-faced children are sentenced by American civilization to a life of ignorance and poverty. These employees are as important, as efficient and as loyal as many of the higher waged employees and their rights should also be reviewed by Congress.

FRESH BREAD DAILY AT MOORE'S.

Better be safe than sorry. Let us fill your prescription and you are safe.—Hickman Drug Co.

FOR SALE, cheap—small Fairbanks-Morse pump engine in good condition. Call on F. M. Case. tfe

Nearly a million persons have been made homeless by floods in China where 7,000 square miles are under water.

The biggest value we have ever offered our subscribers is The Courier and four standard magazines, all one year, for only \$1.25.

The Industrial Savings Bank, with deposits of about \$800,000, closed in Chicago; the tenth private bank to close in Chicago within a month.

Don't forget that the Courier gives 2000 votes on each dollar subscription received on Wednesday and Saturday. Subscribe now and help your favorite win the automobile or some of the other valuable prizes.

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Save money, spend a million dollars worth of food and property every year. Kill your rats and mice and stop your loss with RAT CORN.

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For Women and Children

It's time you were thinking of your New Fall Apparel, and we are now showing many becoming fashions in a variety of fabrics, colors and designs which were obtained through our intimate acquaintance with the styles makers of New York.

It matters not what price you wish to pay, for suits, coats, and millinery can be chosen from this assortment at practically any price. The values are exceptional.

Attractive Suits Arriving Every Week

They admirably mirror the prevailing styles worn in such fashion centres as Paris, London and New York. The least expensive of them is just as correct as the higher priced models, although all are less expensive than similar garments will cost when purchased in the cities.

Beautiful Broadcloth, Velour and Gabardine suits, in black, burgundy, purple blue and fancy checks, at

\$30, \$32.50 and \$35

Broadcloth, Serge, Poplin and Gabardine suits in the season's best styles and colors at

\$20, \$25 to \$27.50

Attractive suits of Poplin, serge and gabardine in black and colors, made in medium and long lengths at **\$15, \$18 to \$20**

BARGAINS IN SUITS

These suits are made of better material than can be purchased this year at twice the prices. Styles are last year's. Prices

\$5, \$7.50 to \$10



Children's Coats with Style

They were designed by specialists in children's garments and reflect youth in all its phases. They are attractive, graceful, stylish, and above all, serviceable. Many models, and many reasonable prices.

Handsome Plush and Velvet coats, new flare styles, blue, green, brown and black at **6.00, 7.00 to 10.00**

Caracole and Cloth coats; attractive models and excellent values.

3.50, 4.00 and 5.00

Good, serviceable coats for small children at **2.00, 2.50 and 3.00**



Boys' Clothes

THE KIND REAL BOYS WEAR

Real boys, boys who go to school—who are "up to the mark" in their marks—who study hard and play harder.

Real boys—your boy and our boy—that's the kind of boys Perfection Clothes are made for. Quality is sewed in every seam making positive their ability to successfully withstand boy assaults. Suits deserving special recognition and priced below most high prices prevailing today at **5.00, 7.00, 10.00**

Others as low as **2.50**

New Winter Coats

FOR WOMEN AND MISSES

No store in town has ever shown more or better coats. Any model or fabric that you can name is here in all sizes.

Handsome Plush and Velvet coats, some fur trimmed, in black, burgundy and the leading shades, made in the stylish flare models. Prices

20.00, 25.00 to 35.00

Coats of Plush, Broadcloth, Velour and Serge, models to suit every figure and prices to suit every purse. Prices

7.50, 12.00 to 18.00

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FOR WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN

Marvelously pretty trimmed hats: untrimmed hats in novel shapes and colors; smart tailored hats, and fascinating hats for children are offered at exceptional prices.

New Velvet shapes received this week, all the newest styles at

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New Ornaments, Flowers and Feathers, showing the very latest New Fashions.

Children's Hats, Velvet and Cloth, at

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"A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE"

All you who have torpid liver, weak digestion or constipated bowels look out for chills. The season is here and the air is full of the disease germs. The best thing to do is to get your liver in good condition and purify the stomach and bowels. HERBINE is the right remedy, it answers the purpose completely. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Advt.

Lexie Rice has accepted a position as clerk in the Farmers & Merchants Bank.

J. A. Bradberry left yesterday for Memphis to visit relatives for a week or two.

B. E. Murchison, of Los Angeles, Cal., has been visiting his brother, C. A. Murchison, and other relatives in the county. He left the vicinity of Cayce about eight years ago, and this is his first visit home.

Stoves are going up and the usual number of fall fires may be expected. If you are not insured, see Henry & Henry.

Leibovitz suits are designed and tailored by the most skilled tailors. A look at the line will convince you.

Mrs. J. C. Ellison and Miss Mary Helm were in Union City yesterday.

HICKMAN HAS CHAMPION TEAM.

The deciding game for the championship of West Tennessee and West Kentucky was played on the Hickman grounds last Sunday by Hickman and Martin, the former winning by a score of 18 to 2. Joe Engle was on the mound for Hickman, and had the Martin boys completely at his mercy. Hickman closes the season with a fine record, having lost a very small percentage of the games played. The team has disbanded until next year, when it is thought that a better team than the one this year will be organized.

Leibovitz always leads in suit values. See the handsome new models now being shown.

Phone your grocery order to Bettsworth.

FISCAL COURT MEETS NEXT WEEK.

The regular October term of the Fiscal Court will meet next week, when the annual task of allowing accounts against the county will be undertaken. The court was supposed to meet Tuesday of this week, but owing to the fact that Circuit Court was in session the meeting was postponed a week.

Mr. Pester Is Unkind.
"Does your niece sing?" "That is what she calls it," replied old P. G. Pester. "I don't know why."—Judge.

As usual the Walk-Over line contains the newest styles in footwear. See them at Leibovitz "Live Store."

County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Luton
County Supt.

Prof. J. V. Chapman, of Franklin, has been appointed to succeed Prof. T. T. Coats as State Supervisor of Rural Schools.

Crutfield has organized a progressive school improvement league and also a literary society. There seems to be a renewed interest in the school this year and a hearty spirit of cooperation shown by all. The league is planning to paint the school building and to improve the library.

November 10th is arbor day. Several of our schools will set out trees as shade is much needed. Let us select them with care and place them in the right location keeping in mind the ball ground, tennis court, etc.

Last week quite a number of schools had a special clean-up day with excellent results. Old calendars were taken from the walls, windows washed, stoves polished, and everything arranged in an orderly and attractive manner. The grounds were also improved. The league in one district has arranged to meet and wash the walls of the school room. Another school has fresh white sash curtains at the windows. Another has a few growing plants. Several have well selected pictures, copies from the great master pieces, framed in neat black or brown frames. In fact nearly every school in the county has a few good pictures.

Friday, Oct. 13th, will be "library day," and we are asking every teacher to have all books in the library that day so they may be checked at the school and a report made to the county superintendent. Every book belonging to the school library must be recorded and numbered. If any library labels are needed call for them beforehand. No book can be taken from the school until the name of the pupil and the number of the book is recorded in the record book. Books must be taken out on Fridays only. Books lost must be paid for.

The common school term is seven months this year. Cayce and Sylva Shadie will have a nine months term, and Jordan an eight months term. The term in these districts, as well as in graded schools, is extended by local funds.

FORECAST SMALL CROP.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Storms and insect damage have wrought havoc with the cotton crop this year and caused a loss of almost 3,000,000 bales throughout the growing season.

This year's crop will be approximately 11,637,900 equivalent 500-pound bales, according to the Department of Agriculture's forecast made today, basing its estimate on the condition of the crop on Sept. 25. In its first forecast of production, made from conditions existing June 25th, the quantity was estimated at 14,266,000 bales. The condition of the crop on September 25th was 56.3 per cent of a normal, which is the lowest condition on record for that time of the year.

The weather during the month was very favorable for gathering the crop and the high prices prevailing for both cotton and the seed caused the farmers in all parts of the south to rush gathering and ginning, and there has been a much larger percentage of the crop put through the gin than usual at this time of the year. In Southern Mississippi and Alabama, where the crop is practically a failure, one picking got the crop, the average in many counties being a bale to the mule or less. Over the entire cotton belt the crop this season has been rapidly picked and there is less cotton remaining in the fields than usual at this time of the year. The picking season will average two or three weeks early.

Leibovitz "live store" are supreme in style and quality.

Meals 35c at the Price Hotel. Everything firstclass.

What Does Catarrh Mean?

It means inflammation of a mucous membrane somewhere in the head, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, biliary ducts or bowels. It always means stagnant blood—the blood that is full of impurities. Left alone, it extends until it is followed by indigestion, colds, congestion or fever. It weakens the system generally and spreads its operations until systemic catarrh or acute illness is the result.

Peruna

Is the nation's reliable remedy for this condition. It restores appetite, aids digestion, checks and removes inflammation, and thus enables the membranes through which we breathe and through which our food is absorbed, to do their work properly. Forty-four years of success, with thousands of testimonials, have established it as the home remedy—Ever-Ready-to-Take. Its record of success holds a promise for you.

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ROYAL



BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
Made from Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM—NO PHOSPHATE

CIRCUIT COURT

Kabe Corset Co. vs. S. M. Naifeh, judgment for plaintiff for \$34.37.

Turk Wilson Grocer Co. vs. G. M. Ross, attachment sustained and order of sale.

C. T. Bondurant vs. C. M. & G. R., dismissed, settled.

Rutland West Co. vs. C. M. Brown, judgment for plaintiff for \$51.48.

R. L. Johnson & Co. vs. J. N. Cartwright, continued.

A. P. Mills vs. Roger Wilson et al, agreed judgment for plaintiff for \$100.

Steve Stahr v. C. M. & G. Ry., continued.

W. T. Barton vs. N. C. & St. L. Ry., continued.

C. T. Bondurant vs. Dahnke-Walker Milling Co., continued.

Maud Stephens vs. W. S. and A. S. Barkett, continued.

J. K. Smith vs. R. J. McClure, continued.

Fidelity & Casualty Co. vs. Hickman Ice & Coal Co., continued.

Leon Browder et al vs. Oma Ramsey Schinnerer, land ordered sold.

Geo. Reeves vs. E. E. Reeves, Admr., judgment by court for defendant.

Harriett Taylor vs. H. C. Helm, Admr., judgment by jury for plaintiff.

Vincennes Bridge Co. vs. C. L. Walker, continued.

The following are serving this week as petit jurors:

S. B. Burris
C. M. Wright
J. R. Davie
Frank Watson
John Asbell
J. W. Rogers
Jordan Champion
R. C. Roper
W. T. Bondurant
J. H. Pollock
L. M. Bushart
W. J. Harper
J. W. Taylor
H. L. Williams
Chas. Werner
T. H. Williams
J. W. Flynn
J. M. Mitchum
W. R. Batts
A. M. Browder.



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(When the attention of The Hickman Courier is called to any mis-statement of facts, or to any error concerning any man or thing, correction will cheerfully be made.)

WEEKLY GINNING REPORT.

The local gins have ginned bales as follows this season:

East St. Louis Gin..... 186
Dodds Gin..... 354
Farmers Gin..... 547

Total last week:

East St. Louis Gin..... 120
Dodds Gin..... 234
Farmers Gin..... 271

Cotton is still going up, selling this week at above 7c for best grades as compared with 6.85 last week.

The Old Governor Steel Cut Coffee, best of all at Bettersworth.

REGISTRATION RETURNS. 462 VOTES REGISTERED.

Following is the result of the registration held in the city of Hickman Tuesday:

East Hickman — Democrats

96; Republicans 84.

Old Hickman—Democrats 121;

Republicans 71; Independents 6;

no preference 4.

West Hickman—Democrats 47;

Republicans 33.

Total registered 462.

Democrats 264; Republicans

188; others 10.

This does not represent the entire vote, as many failed to register. But another registration day will be held later.

MAT BYNUM DIED.

Mat Bynum, a resident of West Hickman, died at 12 o'clock last night, after a lingering illness of tuberculosis. He was born in Tennessee Aug. 21, 1869, and had resided here for the past six or seven years and worked for the Mengel Box Co. Deceased is survived by a wife and two or three children. The remains were carried to Dukedom, Tenn., this morning for burial.

BAPTIST ALL-DAY RALLY AN ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

The church rally—extending throughout the day Friday—by the Baptists of Hickman, was an enjoyable affair and well attended. Dr. I. N. Penick, of Martin, Tenn., delivered a fine address during the morning. At noon, "dinner on the grounds," was a very attractive feature of the program. In the afternoon, two interesting papers were read by Mesdames L. McMakin and H. J. Crain. In the evening hour, Rev. Jas. B. Housley preached a good sermon. Rev. Crain, the local pastor of the First Baptist church, acted as master of the ceremonies. It was a most pleasing affair and its repetition will be welcomed by all who had the pleasure of attending upon this occasion.

LETTER TO HUGHES.

Dear Mr. Hughes:
You'll please excuse
My dullness if I seem obtuse,
Or fail to properly enthuse,

When you break loose.

The papers give me all the news
And more advice than I can use;
But when I try to get your views
On public questions, then I loose
My patience, and I sigh and say
"Oh, what's the use!"

I give the devil all his due:
I rather like you, Mr. Hughes,
When you were judge. But
when you choose
To be a knocker and abuse
Our President, I must refuse
To read your "ooze."

The Democrats you still accuse;
Your damentions I persue.
These may alarm—they can't amuse,
And thinking men they won't confuse;
But altogether, Brother Hughes,
You're too profuse.

One final work before adieu:
If you would stand in Wilson's
shoes
You'll have to try some other
rus—

For, by the gods, you're going
to lose!
The Republican party will get its
dues;
You're up against it Mr.
Hughes.

The Social Embroidery Club met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Creason on Monday, October 2. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess and a pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all, including several guests of the club. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Pat Freegan on Monday, October 16th.

All the new prevailing colors in mens fall hats at Leibovitz "Live Store."

Don't forget to call for votes
on the free auto when you subscribe for the Courier.

DIRT FLYING ON THE WEST HICKMAN LEVEE.

With all interested parties co-operating in the fullest measure, work was begun in earnest on the West Hickman levee yesterday morning by the Dixie Construction Co., who have the contract for the work. They have their work train and about forty men at work now. By Monday morning Mr. Worley hopes to have double this number of men and another work train on the job.

The right of way for the levee was cleared first of the week,

or enough of it to give the construction company plenty of room, and train load after train load of dirt is now being dumped on the new levee line. The big steam shovel is digging dirt for this embankment from the J. W. Ward property south of town. Finer earth for levee building could not be asked, as it is of a sticky clay formation that will stay "put."

The levee is to have a 68 foot base and will be several feet higher than the standard government levees, which insures adequate protection from even higher waters than we've ever experienced.

The levee committee was indeed fortunate in securing the services of the Dixie people on this job. They are thoroughly equipped for this kind of work, besides being experienced in it. With favorable weather, the work will go forward rapidly. It is interesting to watch them at this work. Everything is done by specially designed, powerful machinery. The cars are loaded by machinery, the dirt is dumped by machinery—and the spread by a huge steel wing projecting from a car, putting the dirt at exactly the right place and leaving it as smooth as a marble ground.

Nothing succeeds like success; West Hickman is going to be protected from such disasters as we experienced in 1912-13-16, which means that end of town will forge ahead.

BASEBALL SUNDAY.

A game has been arranged with the strong team from Wickliffe to be played here Sunday. Joe Engle will pitch for Hickman and a good game is assured. Hickman is the champion team for West Kentucky, and Wickliffe has one of the strongest amateur teams that has played here this year.

Patron Saints.

There is no complete or authentic catalogue of the patron saints of the various countries of the world. The patron saints of the foremost countries are as follows: Spain, St. James; Germany, St. Michael; Austria, the Virgin Mary; Italy has various saints for her various provinces; St. Charles is the patron saint of Lombardy and St. Maurice of Piedmont.

From a Greenville, Miss., exchange we clip the following concerning the burns sustained by Mary Louise, little daughter of T. A. Holcombe and wife: "Little Mary Louise had struck a match and was attempting to light a fire in the grate when her dress caught fire. Her cries were heard by the colored cook, who extinguished the flames with a dash of water from a pitcher, but not until after the little girl had suffered serious burns on her face and other parts of her body. Late reports say the little Miss is improving.

Don't Worry.

Fill your mind so full of good will and cheerfulness that no worry will have a chance to enter in. If some special care wants to seize you, set to work very hard doing some kindness for another. Do you know that nothing drives away thoughts of selfish worry as quickly as kind acts done for others?

The new wide brim hats appear to the young fellows. See the new ones just received at Leibovitz's.

Wisdom in Copying Nature.

In the artificial adornment of grounds by means of plants, nature is our best instructor. From her we may learn the uses of grass, flowers, vines, shrubs and trees, and how to combine them to the best advantage.

Pocket receipt books 5¢ each at this office.

All the good things to eat at Bettersworth's at lowest prices.

The automobile contest is warming up and contestants are taking a lively interest in the solicitation of votes. Save your votes and help your favorite.

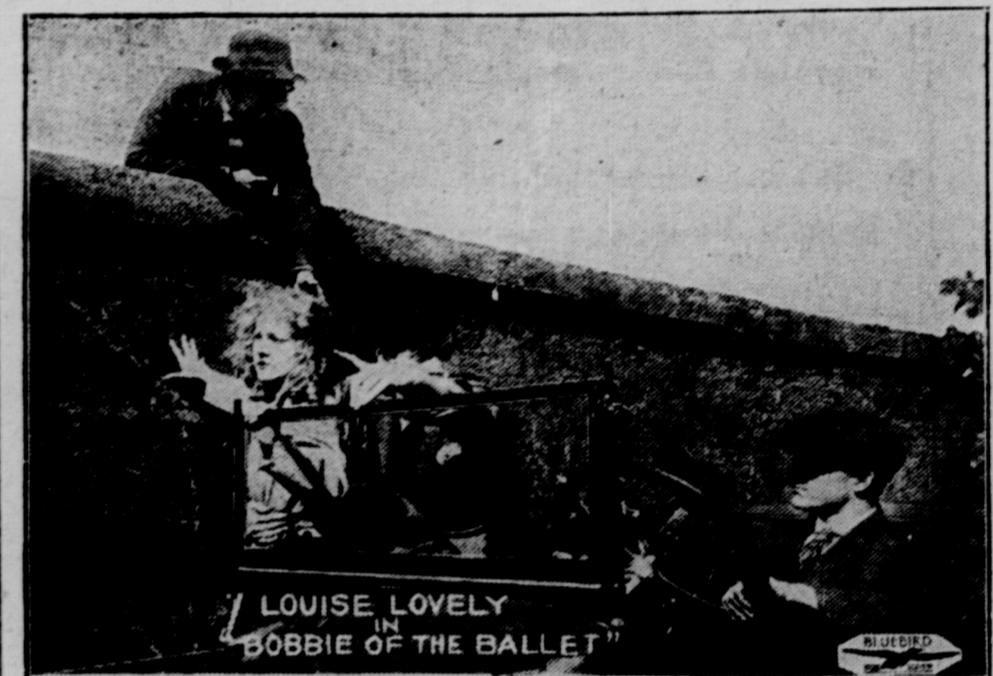
NOTICE

This store will be closed Saturday, the 7th, on account of Jewish Holiday, "Yom Kippur," Day of Atonement.

Will Open at 6 p. m.

Dobson's Store

ON THE CORNER



Jack Stimson was just out of college, very rich and anxious to spend as much of his money as he could upon beauties of the stage. The prima donna of the company was helping him nightly until he clapped his eyes upon a pretty ballet girl—and then he called for a new deal. The ballet girl had ideas on saving money and not on spending it. Jack and the ballet girl formed a platonic corporation with the ballet girl as treasurer. Then things began to happen—for Jack's mother was the leader of the Orphan's Adoption Society, and the ballet girl was supporting an orphaned sister and baby brother. Jack's mother and the Juvenile Court upset the platonic romance between Jack and the chorus girl, turning the affair into an out and out love story, ending happily in marriage. With other plots and counter plots to make an exciting and interesting photoplay, "Bobbie of the Ballet" will present this story in Bluebird Photoplays at the Crystal Theatre on Friday at 5c and 10c with Louise Lovely playing the captivating ballet girl.

Bargains in Sample Shoes

We have a nice line of sample shoes—all new—that can bought at less than retail price. See us before you buy.

SHOE REPAIRING of all kinds done while you wait. Don't throw the old ones away.

BOSTON SHOE SHOP

CAMPAIGN FUND GROWS.

To date the Democrats of Fulton county have contributed a total of \$138 toward the campaign fund and prosperity. Additional contributions this week:

A. M. Shaw, Esq. \$1.00

J. R. Goelder. 1.00

W. B. McGehee. 1.00

W. C. Vance. 1.00

TEAM RAN INTO CAR.

While returning from Tiptonville in his car yesterday Percy Jones, accompanied by Will Winters, had an unusual experience. Just after turning a corner, he met a runaway team and wagon, which crashed into the car and the wagon tongue finally came to a standstill between the two occupants of the car. The wind shield was smashed, the radiator torn up and other damage sustained by the car, but both men escaped injury.

Local buyers paid as high as 76c per bushel at Hickman for new corn yesterday.

It is hardly likely that the new pipe organ, being installed at the First Methodist church, will be ready for service by the coming Sunday.

Wheat scored the highest price of the season Wednesday when it went to \$1.58 1/4 per bushel at Chicago.

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If you want a first-class, stylish coat or suit

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What you feel that you should pay is not so important as what you GET for your money. You can certainly secure some wonderful styles. But when you get such a garment from us you have not only "style", but a wearer. We do not argue concerning the garments. Actual experience demonstrates.

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Educator
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DOBSON'S
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Good, cheap
Shoes for the
whole family

Always
Buy the Best
**TOILET
ARTICLES**
and Keep Pleased
with Your
Appearance



A Large Line of Beauty Aids

Every woman wants to be as attractive as possible. And it's perfectly right that she should be.

Actresses are more envied and admired, perhaps, than any other class of women. Yet they are not always the most beautiful. They attribute their charms in a measure to the regular use of good creams, lotions, etc.

We have a line of the latest and most effective beauty aids, perfumes, etc., to please the most exacting.

HICKMAN *recall* DRUG CO

REVIVAL MEETING CLOSED.

The Christian church revival, in progress for the past four weeks, came to a close Monday night, with a dozen or more additions to the church, six of whom were immersed at the last service. Dr. S. M. Martin, the noted evangelist from Seattle, Wash., who has been conducting the services, is a very able preacher and his work has been a great benefit to the town and community. His daughter, Mrs. Hatchet, who had charge of the choir, is a fine leader. Dr. Martin and Mrs. Hatchet will conduct a meeting at Hopkinsville, Ky., beginning next Sunday for which place they left this week.

No matter what your idea of a hat or shoe style may be, you can find it at Leibovitz "Live Store."

Wesol Oil — 25c— Bondurant Bros. Also, olive oil in all sizes.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING HERE NEXT WEEK.

County Judge Stahr, chairman of the Democratic Campaign Committee of Fulton county, has arranged for good speakers here next week.

Congressman Pat Harrison, of Mississippi, is billed to be here on Thursday night, the 12th. Cong. Barkley may be here at the same time.

Congressman Barkley will speak at Fulton on the night of Monday, the 9th, and at Cayce on the night of Tuesday the 10th.

All of these gentlemen are fine speakers and should be greeted with a big turn-out, as thus far we have had no speakers in this section for Wilson and Democracy. Pass the word along and come out.

Leibovitz always leads in suit values. See the handsome new models now being shown.

SCION OF FULTON COUNTY FAMILY 99 PCT. PERFECT.

Below the Courier prints a likeness of James Billy McGehee, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGehee.



hee, of Pomona, Calif., who was the winner in the "Harvest of Gold" most perfect baby contest. The youngster is one year old and scored 99 per cent perfect, winning over a whole bevy of pretty, shapely youngsters.

This handsome baby's parents are Fulton county folks—and he is a grandson of W. B. McGehee and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crosbie, of near Hickman. If the grandpas feel a little "ches-

ter," they are excusable.

REPUBLICAN SPEAKING.

The Courier is requested to announce that Hon. J. C. Speight, of Mayfield, will speak in the interest of the Republican party at Hickman, at 7:30, Wednesday, Oct. 11th, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to hear him. He is a good orator and entertainer.

Mrs. E. L. Daniel died at her home on the J. P. Thomas place in the bottom last Thursday after a few days illness. The body was carried to her former home at Franklin, Ky., for burial. She is survived by her parents and husband. Before her marriage she was Miss Arena London, and taught school in this county for several terms, and made many friends in the course of her work.

Dr. A. O. Longnecker returned Wednesday from Henderson, Ky., where he took an examination before the State Board as a veterinary surgeon.

T. A. Ledford sold a load of cotton to C. T. Bondurant this morning that brought him \$284.24.

John Choate and family have moved into the C. I. Hagan property which he recently purchased.

Miss Ola May Bryant returned home Wednesday after a visit to Miss Thelma Baltzer.

Miss Frank Peavler left Monday for New Madrid to visit her aunt, Mrs. Royer.

"Old Judge Coffee"—nothing better—at Bondurant Bros.

LEVEE BOARD LOSES. MAY TIE UP ALL WORK.

A case of more than passing interest disposed of in circuit court yesterday was that of W. C. Johnson, Goader Johnson, Rob Goader, George Terrett and the heirs of R. B. Goader vs. the Fulton County Levee Board, in which case Judge Gardner rendered an opinion in favor of the plaintiff.

The fight was one testing the legality of an action by the Board in 1915, when they contracted with Will Bondurant for certain emergency work on the Reelfoot levee and assessed an acreage tax against the landowners for the payment of same. The plaintiffs in this case refused to pay the acreage tax assessed against them—amounting in all to \$493, contending that they had no notice of such assessment, and therefore "no day in court" or opportunity to appear before the Board and protest against the assessment, as required by law, that the rate was inequitable, etc. The sheriff proceeded to attempt to collect this tax, but an injunction was granted restraining the sheriff from so doing, and Judge Gardner's decision amounts to a permanent injunction. In delivering his opinion, Judge Gardner said it was unfortunate that such a suit had been brought and he decided the case against his sentiments, it being a mere question of law which he was called upon to decide.

Just what effect this will have on the proposition of building the loop at mile four, where the river is now within 100 feet of the levee, remains to be seen. The Board a few days ago issued bonds to the extent of \$35,000, the amount required of the land owners by the government, to do this work. The bonds were sold to the landowners, and in turn the money was sent to the federal authorities. Some of the members of the Board are now of the opinion that the work will not be done for some time—if at all—and someone may be out the price of the bonds. They also say without power to assess and collect an acreage tax, it will be impossible to do anything in the way of improvements, as the entire amount of ad valorum tax is required for current expenses; furthermore, that the government is hardly likely to be willing to proceed with the work under the circumstances, although the contract has been let for the mile four loop.

The Board immediately took steps for a hearing before the Court of Appeals.

Little Ida Belle, age a year and three months, daughter of John Ogdon, of the lower bottom, died Tuesday and the remains were interred at Brownsville yesterday.

WANTED: Young lady to do light office work. Apply in own handwriting, state age and salary expected. This office, t.c.

Miss Myrtle Hayden left Monday for Osceola, Ark., to visit her parents for a few days, after which she will attend a business school in Memphis.

Isreal Clark, one of our good farmer friends, was able to be in town yesterday, the first time in more than a year, on account of illness and advanced age.

Men desiring to be informed on current Shoe, Suit, and Hat fashion, visit Leibovitz "Live Store."

Mrs. Al Chetister is visiting her brother, P. C. Ward, and wife, of Walnut Log.

Guy Counts and wife, of Cuba, (Graves county) have moved to Hickman.

Geo. Hurd and wife, of the Dixie Cons. Co., are in Hickman again.

George Carpenter, of Wickliffe, is spending a few days in town.

Have you seen "Moore's New English Dip" derby at Leibovitz?

Conductor Walker is back from a month's vacation in the west.

Milton Spradlin spent Monday in Tiptonville on business.

Sam Elliott was here yesterday from Fulton.

"Doc" Pewitt spent Thursday in Hickman.

Groceries at Bettsworth's.

New Felt Hats

New Flat Set Brim
In all the popular colors

\$2.50 to \$4.00

My hats for Fall have the style and quality unsurpassed for men and young men.

The Greatest Showing of

Good Shoes

for the family and old prices maintained with the exception of a very few styles.

EDUCATOR Shoes for Children

Sizes 8 to 11	1.75
Sizes 11½ to 2	2.00

I sell the very highest quality children's Shoes

THE R. T. WOOD SHOES

All popular priced

You Get What You Want
And a Square Deal at

RICE'S SHOE STORE

S. L. Royster and wife and E. C. Rice and wife motored to Bardwell Tuesday and attended the Baptist Association meeting, making the trip in Mr. Royster's new Maxwell.

Leibovitz
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

Closed Saturday, Oct. 7

Will Reopen After 6 p. m.

In observance of the most sacred holiday in the Jewish calendar, my store will be closed Saturday until 8 o'clock. I wish to assure my friends that any purchases made after reopening will be very gratefully appreciated.

Sincerely,
D. P. Leibovitz

Special Notice

If you have on hand any empty soda water bottles or cases, please phone us—Cumb. 143 or home R-40—and we will have a wagon call and get them out of your way. You can't use them and we can. Do this today, please.

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With "An Air"

The engaging smartness which produces that eagerly sought and hard to find "distinguished air" in footwear is featured here so strongly that no well-dressed man need be without it for the Fall and Winter season. It is the last and most lasting word in shoes for the day and hour.

As true in quality as they are in style, and with the certainty of wearing as long as the wearer desires. For men at \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00. Shoes with air for "anywhere wear."

FURNISHINGS

of every description for men and young men.

Let us take your measure today for that Fall and Winter suit—the famous Anderson tailoring—the kind that pleases.

R. L. BRADLEY

**NEWS OF THE WEEK
FROM OVER WORLD.**

Two of three negroes charged with murdering a deputy sheriff who sought to prevent a jail delivery were lynched at Nowata, Okla.

Charles Goepfert speaks only French. Miss Lucy E. Mutterer speaks only German. Rev. Frank O. Beck of Chicago, who married them, read the service in English.

The smallest public school in the world, at Cly, Pa., containing desk room for 12 pupils, is seeking a teacher. This year only two pupils will attend.

Charles Fixmer was \$25 ahead when he left a Chicago dice game. As he departed two hold-up men relieved him of the money.

Sir William Henry Dunn was elected lord mayor of London. The new lord mayor will be the third Roman Catholic lord mayor of London in recent years.

Arthur Carter, a negro chauffeur, ran down four little girls in Argenta, Ark., killing one of them.

Palmer Bosworth, 14 years old, of Tampa, Fla., is dead of injuries received during a football game.

One thousand cigarmakers in five factories went on strike in Tampa, Fla., for higher wages for piece work.

Legal time in Great Britain was put back one hour, beginning at 3 a.m. Oct. 1.

Branches of the Deutsche Asiatic bank at Yokohama and Kobe have been closed and are now under guard of Japanese soldiers.

Violation of the Mann white slave act by sending more than a score of girls from Chicago to Terre Haute, Ind., was charged in indictments against Emil Faust and his wife.

American Indians are no longer a dying race, Cato Sells, United States commissioner of Indian affairs, says. There are 350,000 Indians in 24 states settled on 80 reservations. The death rate has been reduced and births are increasing.

William Coulter of New York found the card of Miss Edista Roberts, Chattanooga, Tenn., in a pair of silk stockings his mother bought. Letters and portraits were exchanged and soon Miss Roberts will be Mrs. Coulter.

Remorse caused Frank Greer, convict in the Michigan prison, to make a voluntary confession that he shot and killed Frank M. McKinney, a policeman of North Vernon, Ind., on the night of Jan. 15, 1915.

Thieves invaded the Illinois prison honor farm while the convicts slept and stole a team and wagon.

Unless England lifts the dye embargo, the coloring on 2-cent stamps will become deathly pale. The cheeks are tinted with crimson lake, made in Germany.

Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, the only woman who ever ran for president of the United States on a regularly nominated ticket, has declared herself to be for President Wilson.

The United States submarine L-7 was launched at Long Beach, Cal., by the California Shipbuilding Co.

Practical tests, designed to show the individual efficiency of naval officers qualifying for promotion, are to supersede the old system of written examinations.

Mrs. Annie Smith, 26 years old, is in jail at Nashville, Ark., charged with murder, and her husband, John Smith, is detained as an accessory, following the killing of C. S. Ledford, 33 years old.

Allen U. Tomlinson, an official of the Tomlinson Chair Co. of Pine Ridge, S. C., was found shot to death in his room in a Chicago hotel.

Robert Augustus Hemingway, prominent in Chicago society circles, was given a fall from a yacht at Sarasota, Fla.

The cost of woman's clothes was given as the reason why several million men don't get married by Rev. Franklin W. Swift of the Galilee Baptist church, Chicago.

The price of flour is now at the highest level since the civil war. Standard patents bring \$9.10 a barrel, an increase of \$3 over a year ago.

Dr. Wellington Koo, minister to the United States, has sent his resignation to the foreign office, giving ill health as the reason.

IN REACH—OR OUT?

Suppose a fire broke out today in the house, office or store adjoining you how would you stand in regard to a fire insurance policy? Have you got one at all? Is it in a sound and reliable company? Now is the best time to think about it and to take out a policy if you haven't one. You can't get it afterwards you know. See us about a policy at once. The cost is small—the benefits great.

HELM & HELM
HICKMAN, KY.

Minneapolis millers declare that flour may retail at \$10 a barrel in the near future if wheat prices continue to rise.

Sub Lieut. Nungesser of the French aviation service brought down two aeroplanes, making 17, and a captive balloon.

Stringent regulation of the manufacture and sale of pulque, the principal strong drink of Mexico, has been ordered by First Chief Carranza. The new regulations double the tax.

The Republican national committee announces that Gov. Whitman will make a speaking trip in the middle west this month. He will speak in Indianapolis Oct. 11, in Chicago Oct. 12, in St. Louis Oct. 13 and in Louisville Oct. 14.

The German emperor has issued a letter of thanks to the German shipyards, which have already completed repairs on the ships damaged in the Jutland battle.

The Roman Catholic home at Beaumont, Canada, was destroyed by fire. There were upward of 200 children and aged persons in the institution and all were safely removed. Loss, \$50,000.

President Wilson went to his old home to vote at the New Jersey Democratic primaries. His ballot was No. 14 and he "voted 'er straight."

Edward E. Martini, Chicago's biggest policeman, is dead. He weighed 431 pounds and was 6 feet 2 inches tall.

It is a greater crime in Greene county, Ill., to steal six hens than to steal a Ford. Juries in the Carrollton circuit court have so decided. The hen thief got 90 days and the machine stealer 60.

Undermined by construction work on the new Coney Island subway, a portion of Sixty-eighth street, Brooklyn, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, caved in.

McFarren Davis, for 27 years editor of the Paris (Ill.) Beacon, and one of the most widely known editors of central Illinois, is dead.

The printers' supply salesmen have advertised for the "ugliest girl in town." They want her to lead a grand march in Madison Square.

Dr. Eva Harding, known in Kansas as the "fighting woman," filed her petition as an independent candidate for congress in the first Kansas district.

Prayers for the dead will become a part of the ritual of the Protestant Episcopal church if the commission on the revision has its way.

Members of F battery, Illinois artillery, numbering 119 men, most of whom are students at the University of Illinois, have been mustered out.

A world's record for exports was set by this country during August. The exports totaled \$510,000. This is \$35,000,000 higher than the previous record.

The jury at Iola, Kan., before which Mrs. Ruby Stevens was tried for the murder of Clifford Kistner, a young farmer, was unable to agree.

W. G. McAdoo, chairman of the federal farm loan board, made a pilgrimage to the tomb of Abraham Lincoln in Oak Ridge cemetery, Springfield, where they placed a wreath.

Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in Mexico, has been made a major general, succeeding the late Maj. Gen. Albert L. Mills.

James Owen of Milwaukee was drawing a "short one" when he got a communication from Chattanooga. It said Mrs. P. H. Wisdom, Owen's grandmother, had bequeathed him \$800,000.

The German government purposes to take up with the International Red Cross a complaint that the new British "tanks" are against the rules of civilized warfare.

While being rushed in an automobile to a hospital to receive attention for injuries received in an accident at an oil well near Tulsa, H. G. Lytle, 48, was killed when the machine upset in a pile of sand.

Oscar D. McDaniel, prosecuting attorney of Buchanan county, Mo., was arrested on a state warrant charging him with the murder of his wife, H. R. Mrs. Moss McDaniel, who was found dying in her bedroom the night of July 25.

Confederate and Union veterans joined in unveiling a monument in National cemetery dedicated to Union soldiers who lost their lives in battles around Memphis.

Mexican Ambassador Arredondo is speeding to Mexico City to take to Gen. Carranza a report as to the progress being made by the American-Mexican commissioners.

An alarm clock tied to his hand attracted a policeman's attention and led to the detention of Donald Sutherland, 16, of Milwaukee, a runaway.

The Eighth Illinois infantry, negro regiment, has been released from service and will be replaced by the First Wyoming.

Walk-Over and Masterbilt Shoes**Most Everybody Is Buying a Leibovitz Guaranteed Suit
WHY NOT YOU?**

Stetson and Worth Hats

A beautiful showing of these famous guaranteed suits for men and young men is now here and it's not a bit too early for you to make your clothing selection for the coming season; fact is I would advise you to do the "early bird" stunt as the most desirable patterns are the ones to go first.

This season's business is going to be the biggest in my history, and you will realize why when you see the classy models I am showing, and wonderful values I am giving at

\$15.00, \$17.50 and \$20.00

Better than tailor-made suits at almost twice the price.

YOUR NEW FALL SHOES

await you here. The most complete and stylish selection of Men's Footwear ever shown, embracing all the newest novelties as well as the more conservative styles. The brands are

Walk-Over

Stacy-Adams

and Masterbilt

Prices cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

YOUR HAT

you should give due thought. If you will come here you will be welcomed by a service unexcelled and shown the most clever hat styles in town at

\$2.00

\$2.50

and \$3.00

Some new styles just received today.

Leibovitz
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

The "Live Store" where quality reigns higher than price.

Arrow Brand Shirts

Leibovitz \$15.00 Suits

ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

J. F. Royster, of Fulton, visited his mother, Mrs. Annie McGeehee, at the home of her son, J. L. Atwill, Sunday. —Mrs. Mary Taylor, of near Cuba, Ky., is visiting her brother, W. J. Fields, and family.—Miss Sophie Lunsford, of Hickman, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. H. J. French and family.—Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan and children visited relatives in Cayce Sunday.—Roy Shelton, of Memphis, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. R. A. Fields.—Frank Fields returned home Sunday from Mayfield.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britt and sons, of Stubblefield, visited their son, Neal Britt, and family, and W. J. Fields and children Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bryant were in Hickman Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Johnson and daughter, Miss Eva, of Cayce, visited Mrs. Annie McGeehee and J. L. Atwill and family Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roper and daughter, of Hickman, visited her mother, Mrs. Fannie Henry, Sunday.—Mrs. Elmer Roberson was in Hickman Tuesday.—A. D. Fields, of Mayfield, visited his son, R. A. Fields, and family, Sunday.—We were sorry indeed to learn of the death of Mrs. Lawrence Daniels, which occurred Tuesday evening, Sept. 28th, at her home near Hickman. Mrs. Daniels before her marriage was Miss Anna London, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Willis London, of Franklin, Ky. She was 23 years of age, and a member of the Presbyterian church. Two years ago she taught a very successful school at Roper, where she made many friends who were saddened by the news of her death. She is survived by her husband, her parents, three sisters and two brothers. The remains were shipped to Franklin for interment.—Mrs. J. P. Thomas and Mrs. R. A. Fields were in Hickman Friday.—Miss Allie Thomas, of Cayce, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Seay.

For Fancy and Tailored

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Treats and Operates on
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SEE—

Mesdames
HARMON & COTTON
Over Rice's Shoe Store

The new Walk-Overs have arrived and are ready for inspection. They're beauties, too. —Leibovitz.

Try Our
FRESH MEATS
C. H. MOORE
Phone 4

Miss Allie Dodds spent Wednesday in Union City.
How do you like the local sample of Wilson prosperity? Same here.

The new wide brim hats appeal to the young fellows. See the new ones just received at Leibovitz's.

Barrett & Ledford's

GERMAN TRENCHES HAVE ALL HOME COMFORTS.

Paris — Soldiers back from the battle of the Somme always tell wonderful stories of the German dugouts, a maze of underground dwellings and passages, with large chambers for the men and finely appointed rooms for the officers. One correspondent says:

"The German front in the west is like one huge straggling village, built of wood and strung out along a road 300 miles long. Of course, the houses are all underground. Still they are houses, of one or two floors, built to certain official designs. The main entrance from the trench level is, sometimes at any rate, through a steel door, of a pattern apparently standardized, so that hundreds may come from the factory on one order and missing parts be easily replaced."

"Inside a flight of from 20 to 30 stairs leads down at an easy angle. The treads of the stairs and the descending of the roof of the staircase are formed of mining frames of stout timber, with double top sills; the walls of thick planks, notched at the top and bottom to fit the frames, and strengthened with iron tie-rods running from top to bottom of the stairs and with thick wooden struts at right angles to those."

"At the foot of the stairs a tunneled corridor runs straight, for anything up to 50 yards, and from this are open rooms and minor passages on each side. In many dugouts a second staircase, or two staircases, lead to a lower floor, which may be 30 to 40 feet below the trench level. All these staircases, passages and rooms are in the best specimens, completely lined with wood and as fully strengthened with it as the entrance staircase."

"In one typical dugout, used as a dressing station, there are beds for 32 patients and a fair-sized room. Another, near Mametz, was designed to house a whole company of 300 men, the needful kitchens, provision and munition storerooms, a well, a forge riveted with sheets of cast iron, an engine room, and a motor room."

"Many of the captured dugouts were lighted by electricity. In the officers quarters there have been found full-length mirrors, comfortable bedsteads, cushioned arm chairs and some pictures. One room is lined with glazed wallpaper, and the present English occupant is convinced by circumstantial evidence that his predecessor lived there with his wife and child. Clearly there was no expectation of an early move."

"In the old German front trench south of La Boiselle an entrance like that of a dugout leads to a flight of 24 stairs, all well finished. At their foot a landing three feet square opens on its further side upon a nearly vertical shaft. Descending this by a ladder of 32 rungs you find a second landing like the first, opening on a continuation of the shaft. Down this ladder of 60 rungs brings you to the starting point of a almost straight

AFTER SIX YEARS OF SUFFERING

Woman Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Columbus, Ohio.—"I had almost given up. I had been sick for six years with female troubles and nervousness. I had a pain in my right side and could not eat anything without hurting my stomach. I could not drink cold water at all nor eat any kind of raw fruit, nor fresh meat nor chicken. From 178 pounds I went to

118 and would get so weak at times that I fell over. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and ten days later I could eat and it did not hurt my stomach. I have taken the medicine ever since and I feel like a new woman. I now weigh 127 pounds so you can see what it has done for me already. My husband says he knows your medicine has saved my life."—Mrs. J. S. BARLOW, 1624 South 4th St., Columbus, Ohio.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound contains just the virtues of roots and herbs needed to restore health and strength to the weakened organs of the body. That is why Mrs. Barlow, a chronic invalid, recovered so completely.

It pays for women suffering from any female ailments to insist upon having Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



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\$25 SUIT
Made to Order**

\$15

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No Less Than \$15
No More Than \$20

BY THE
SAVE \$10

Scotch
WOOLEN MILLS

The European war has raised the deuce in the cost of nearly every commodity. Woolens have advanced in price from 25 to 100 per cent, consequently there is a material advance in the wholesale cost of producing an all wool suit or overcoat.

The SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS who handle our tailoring business would be justified in asking of their many dealers an advance in price, BUT THEY HAVE DECIDED NOT TO RAISE THEIR PRICES realizing that the tremendous increase in their present large volume of business will more than make up for the sacrifice in profit.

We are heartily in accord with the SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS policy, therefore you can come to this store and have your measure taken for STRICTLY ALL WOOL SUIT OR VERO COAT AND YOU WILL NOT BE ASKED TO PAY A SINGLE CENT MORE THAN THE REGULAR STANDARD PRICE—NO LESS THAN \$15—NO MORE THAN \$20.

Dougherty & Aquino

"WE CARE FOR YOUR CLOTHES"

Hickman, Ky.

level tunnel, three feet wide and above five feet high, cut for 56 paces through pure hard chalk.

No doubt the size and the overhead strength of German dugouts kept down casualties under bombardment, and sometimes enable the Germans to bring up unsuspected forces to harass our troops in the rear with machine gun and rifle fire when a charge has carried our men past an uncleaned dugout of the kind. On the other hand, if our advance is made good, every German in such a dugout will be either dead or a prisoner.

No doubt, again, the German dugouts give more protection from very bad weather than ours. But they also remove men more from the open air, and there is nothing to show that the half buried German army gains more by relative immunity from rheumatism and bronchitis than it loses in the way of general health and vitality.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Your druggist will refund money. FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Hemorrhoid, Bleeding piles, piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

STILL BIGGER GUNS.

Battleships carrying 18 inch guns, three inches bigger than any now afloat, are under construction by Great Britain, according to unofficial advice, which naval officers give credence. These monster guns are said to be designed primarily for bombardment of land fortifications. Think of it—the muzzles of these guns are to be as large as a barrel.

If your child starts in its sleep, grinds its teeth while sleeping, picks at the nose, has a bad breath, fickle appetite, pale complexion, and dark rings under the eyes; it has worms; and as long as they remain in the intestines, that child will be sickly. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE clears out the worms, strengthens the stomach and bowels and puts the little one on the road to health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Advt.

Arbor Day, November 10th, will be celebrated in Frankfort by exercises on the Capitol grounds where Gov. Stanley will plant a tree.

Fresh bread daily at Moore's.

The grand jury was dismissed by Judge Gardner at Fulton Friday afternoon after returning 78 indictments.

All the good things to eat at Bettsworth's at lowest prices.

Mrs. T. R. Powell returned Sunday from Columbia, Mo., where she attended the funeral of her sister.

Fresh country sorghum.—Prather.

STRANGE EYE DISEASE.

Nellie, the little 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McNeil, is suffering with an eye trouble which the attending physicians are unable to name and is probably a new disease. The eyelid is being gradually eaten away by an obstinate sore-like wound, in some respects like a cancer, and the little lady suffers great pain. The physicians are now endeavoring to produce an antitoxin with which they hope to effect a cure.

IN MEMORIAM.

The death angel has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong and claimed for its own their little darling Tommie. Grieve not dear father and mother for Tommie is now a little angel in heaven. Grieve not for him but live so as to meet your darling on that bright and peaceful shore.

We had a little treasure once,
He was our joy and pride,
We loved him, ah, too much,
For soon he sleeps and died.
All is dark within our dwelling
Lonely our hearts today,
For the one we loved so dearly
Has forever passed away.

—One that loved Tommie.

SLOANS LINIMENT FOR NEURALGIA ACHEs.

The dull throb of neuralgia is quickly relieved by Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply, it quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore muscles. Cleaner and more promptly effective than musky plasters or ointment, does not stain the skin or clog the pores. For stiff muscles, chronic rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sprains and strains it gives quick relief. Sloan's Liniment reduces the pain and inflammation in insect bites, bruises, bumps and other minor injuries to children. Get a bottle today at druggist, 25c. Advt.

Percival Davis was up from Durand, Ky., on business first of the week.

Slip a few Prince Albert smokes into your system!

You've heard many an earful about the Prince Albert patented process that cuts out bite and parch and lets you smoke your fill without a comeback! Stake your bank roll that it proves out every hour of the day. Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!

There's sport smoking a pipe or rolling your own, but you know that you've got to have the right tobacco! We tell you Prince Albert will bang the doors wide open for you to come in on a good time firing up every little so often, without a

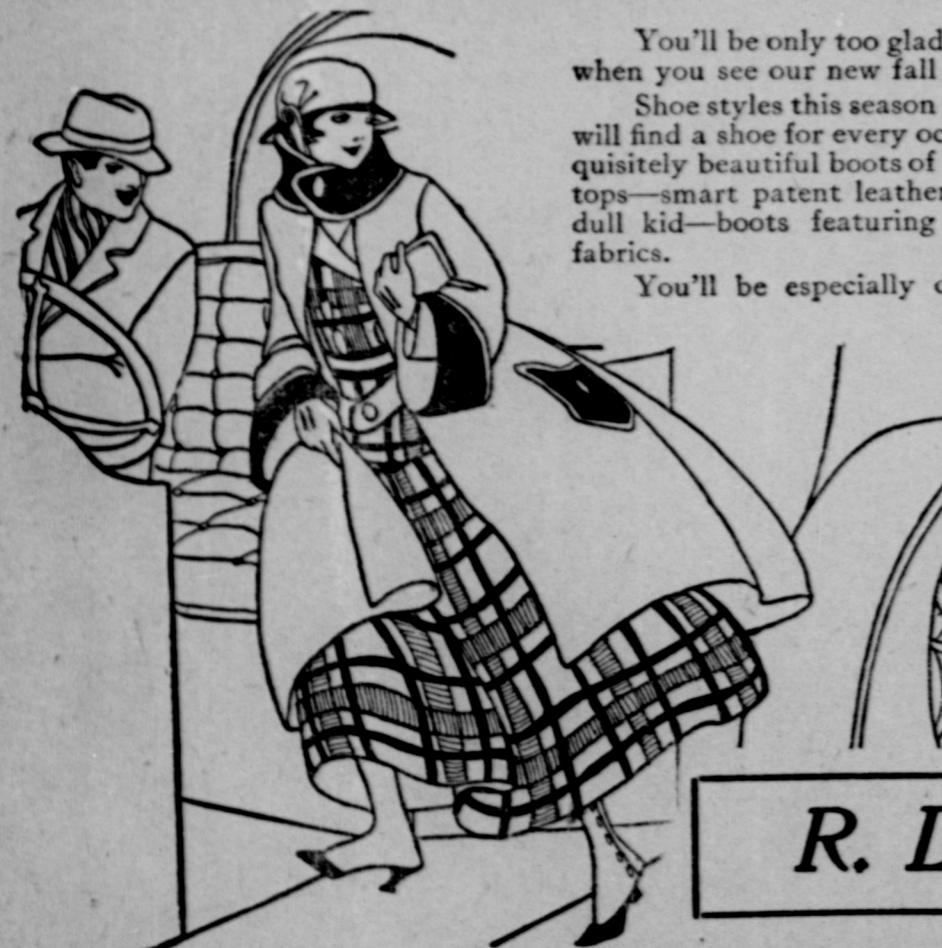
regret! You'll feel like your smoke past has been wasted and will be sorry you cannot back up for a fresh start.

You swing on this say-so like it was a tip to a thousand-dollar bill! It's worth that in happiness and contentment to you, to every man who knows what can be gotten out of a chummy jimmy pipe or a makin's cigarette with Prince Albert for "packing"!

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO.
Winston-Salem, N.C.
This is the reverse side of the tidy red tin.
July 30th, 1907. That means that the United States Government has granted a patent on the Prince Albert Pipe. And it is made. And by which tongue bite and throat parch are cut out! Everywhere tobacco is sold you'll find Prince Albert in top red bags. So tidy red tins, 10c; handsome pound and half-pound tins. The holder is that clever crystal-glass humidor, with sponge-moister top, that keeps the tobacco in such fine condition—alway!



It's time to put on high shoes



You'll be only too glad to discard your summer shoes when you see our new fall models.

Shoe styles this season are varied and beautiful. You will find a shoe for every occasion and every purpose—exquisitely beautiful boots of light colored kid—dainty cloth tops—smart patent leathers—sturdy boots of glazed or dull kid—boots featuring combinations of leathers and fabrics.

You'll be especially delighted with our Red Cross Shoes—the shoes you have read about in the Saturday Evening Post and other magazines. They have that indescribable appeal of style and refinement, and are so comfortable that every step in them is a joy and a delight.

We have this famous shoe in a big variety of fashionable patterns and materials. Ask to see the new styles in this shoe that "bends with your foot."

R. L. Bradley

AN APPEAL.

From State Campaign Chairman
J. C. Cantrill To The Democrats of Kentucky.

As you are doubtless aware it takes a large amount of money to pay the absolutely legitimate expenses of a campaign. Even the matter of postage is a big item and to prepare the campaign matter and mail it to the voters require a small army of stenographers and typewriters. The postage, preparation and stationery of a single letter to every voter in the State costs \$15,000 and all of them will have been written to several times before the election. Besides there are many other expenses that must be met such as office rent, office force expense, traveling expenses for speakers, etc. The Democratic party has no large contributors to rely upon, no Wall Street, no railroad managers. The expenses of the campaign must be met by the people as I will not seek the contribution of a single corporation in the State.

President Wilson, supported by a Democratic Congress, has achieved more in the last three and a half years of control than was ever before achieved in ten times as many years by any administration. Its useless to enumerate the list of splendid laws that have been passed on the statute books which have vitalized the nation. The people owe it to President Wilson and to themselves to retain him in office to continue the good work he is doing.

By filling out the following blank and enclosing amount you desire to donate you will greatly aid the cause of Democracy:

J. C. Cantrill,
Chairman Dem. Campaign Com.
Lock drawer D 2344, Louisville.
I enclose \$
For Democratic Campaign.
Name.....
Address.....

Hickman, Ky.
Enclose this blank with contribution.

Contributions may be sent to the Hickman Courier or direct to Mr. Cantrill.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions. We also assure you that he has never obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mrs. Jennie Hoglan returned home Monday after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Annie Taliaferro, of Memphis.

Miss Mabel Truby returned to her home in Nashville Sunday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. N. Cowgill.

Nathan Hagan and wife, of Union City, spent Sunday and Monday with J. C. Hendrix and wife.

SUN BROS. CIRCUS HERE NEXT MONDAY.

Strange sights and still stranger animals will be among the many things that will be unloaded when the big show train of the Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Shows arrive in Hickman next Monday morning.

This is the date of the appearance here of this well known amusement enterprise. Long before dawn the railroad yard will be the center of attraction for the younger generation of town and many a household will be startled from its peaceful slumbers at an unseemly hour by the tinkling of the alarm clock under the pillows of the small boy. In fact, a few comfortable beds will be left undisturbed throughout the entire night, their usual occupants preferring to remain awake and thus run no risk of missing the opportunity of witnessing the arrival and unloading of these great shows. The Sun Brothers' Shows for this season have an all new equipment and brand new plethora of acts and performances in all its departments, in fact it can truthfully be said that it is an all new show. The only recognizable thing of its past seasons is the adherence to their old time policy of never allowing at any time or place any gamblers, sure thing men, confidence games, fortune tellers, dancing girl show or anything in the nature of a roper-in-device. These issues have never been tolerated with this show nor will they ever be countenanced. Two complete performances will be given here during their engagement and the assurance is made that both performances will be presented without any curtailment whatever. Many new and novel free outside exhibitions are offered this season and are said to be of an unusually entertaining and "thriller" character.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
Because of its tonic andorative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Inc.

We sell only the best groceries and guarantee everything.—Boudour Bros.

Mrs. Lily Wall, of Tampa, Fla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Hubbard.

Phone your grocery order to Bettsworth.

LOANS FOR FARMERS

Fulton
Hickman
Carlisle
Ballard
Graves
McCracken
Marshall

If you want money with which to buy land, make improvements, or buy live-stock in any of these counties, it will pay you to investigate the "Amortisation" plan of loan now being made by the Union Central Life Insurance Company. This loan gives many advantages to the borrower over other forms.

It is based on principles of loans authorized by a recent act of Congress under the Rural Credit Banking Law. Prompt, careful attention given all business; low expense rates with honest dealing assured. Call on or address

D. JOHNSON, Financial Correspondent
Both Telephones CLINTON, KY. Box 287

NEW CORN DANGEROUS.

Hogs often take cholera soon after being put on a ration of new corn, and its use is often condemned on this account. New corn alone is not the cause of hog cholera, but it may be a factor, along with other conditions, that helps weaken the vitality and renders the animal less resistant to disease. In order that new corn may be fed with safety, the animals should be put in a healthy, vigorous condition before time to begin feeding.

When the animals are in a thrifty growing condition, there should be much less danger but the herd should be gotten on full feed gradually. It is well to give them about a stalk of corn per hog the first day, gradually increasing it by one stalk a head every day or so that it is getting two stalks the third day, three stalks the fifth day, and so on until they are on full feed.

This gives the stomach time to adjust itself to the new ration and is a specially good thing to do before turning old hogs into the field to hog down corn.

FOR SALE.

L. H. Kilpatrick's residence on Troy road, one mile from town. Three or four acres of ground. Roomy house with all conveniences. Electric lights and water in house. Good outbuildings. Will sell on easy terms. See L. P. Ellison, Hickman, Ky.

POOL TABLES FOR SALE.

I offer for quick sale or credit, two pool tables in good condition; one almost new. Cost \$150 each plus freight; will sell the two for less than price of one, or will sell separately. For particulars, write W. M. Miles, Union City, Tennessee.

Miss Sue Tipton returned to Caruthersville Saturday after a short visit to her sister, Mrs. W. G. Tipton.

FOR SALE: My furniture and undertaking business at a big bargain. Well established and good location.—W. F. Montgomery, tfe

5% Annual Interest

Five Year Term

Reasonable Commissions

FARM LOANS

I am now authorized to take applications for loans on improved farm lands of 40 acres and up in

WEST TENNESSEE and WESTERN KENTUCKY

These loans are made for five year terms, bear five per cent interest, payable annually, with privilege of paying off loan or any part of same at any time. Money obtained promptly. Cannot loan less than \$1,000. Will loan up to 40 per cent of cash value of land if tenanted and up to 50 per cent of cash value if owner cultivates it or it is cultivated under his direct supervision. Lands must be on a public road. Apply at once.

W. E. HUDGINS

UNION CITY, TENN.

Cumb. Phones 143 and 589, Ind. Phone 143

Ed Trice, of Jackson, spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. R. B. Johnson. Mrs. Will Beauchamp, of Union City, spent Monday with Mrs. C. A. Holcombe. Mrs. Guy Hale returned home Saturday from Cape Giraudau, where she attended the wedding of Miss Pauline Beckman. Mrs. J. O. West returned home Sunday from Memphis.

We're Still Selling Clothes at the

Same Old Prices!



Notwithstanding the tremendous increase in the price of everything that enters into the manufacture of clothing, we are able to give you the same old prices.

We saw the conditions coming—saw them months ago—and prepared for them, and you profit by it.

Handsome Suits

Handsome suits for men, young men and boys—all the popular fabrics, a fine range of patterns and sizes.

Odd pants for men, made by the famous Mayfield Woolen Mills, at the old prices.

Overcoats for men and boys.

Don't pay \$1.25 or \$1.50 for Overalls, when you can get a good one here for \$1.15.

Suits for the "tiny" boys as well as grown-ups.

Come to this store. You can make a nickel do a dime's work.

Sullivan Bros.

NOW DUE

We sent you a statement of your account with us as shown on our books and owing to the early maturing of the cotton and corn crops and also from heavy obligations that we have got to meet in the near future, we are going to ask that you make it a point to pay your account or a part of it just as early as possible.

Yours truly,

HICKMAN HARDWARE CO.

Incorporated

FERGUSON FOUND GUILTY SECOND DEGREE MURDER.

The jury in the Al Ferguson case at Union City returned a verdict, Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, of murder in the second degree which is 10 to 20 years in the Tennessee penitentiary.

A motion for a new trial will be heard by Judge Jones as soon as he finds time to listen to the arguments. Ferguson's bond was placed at \$3000.

The jury deliberated on the case from early in the afternoon Saturday until Monday Morning. It is said that seven stood for manslaughter and five for murder in the first degree, but finally settled on the above verdict.

The killing of Policeman Will Roberson, of South Fulton, Tenn., by Al Ferguson took place on the Tennessee side September 21, when the two men engaged in a pistol duel.

The case has been the quickest brought to trial, with its details systematically worked out, in the history of Obion county.

SAFETY FIRST.

Calomel! Sickens, Weakens and Often Salivates.

Calomel is not a safe thing to take internally because of its unpleasant after effects. Calomel being made of mercury is an unany time to salivate you. Its a natural remedy and is liable at any time to salivate you. Its action is so violent and its after effects so injurious that it is becoming less popular every day. People who believe in "safety first" are taking Lemolac in place of calomel. Lemolac possesses the virtues of calomel without its unpleasant and dangerous after effects. Lemolac does not gripe, sicken or weaken, and being purely vegetable, cannot salivate you.

We believe Lemolac will please you, as it is rapidly becoming the most popular liver medicine on the market, but will refund your money if you are not satisfied with it.—Helm & Ellison's.

P. S. If you forget the name spell calomel backwards. Advt.

Groceries at Bettsworth's

On account of the exceedingly low river and the boats all being behind time, quite a number of Hickman grocers were out of staple goods the latter part of last week and the first of this, delivery of freight all having been delayed.

Frank Von Borries returned Sunday from a few days business trip to Louisville.

Harry Manuel has returned from Metropolis, Ills.

Lawrence Coombes returned Friday from Cairo.

N. R. Holecombe left Saturday for Greenville, Miss., to attend the bedside of his little niece, Mary Louise Holecombe, who was badly burned, catching fire from a grate, but is improving.

FOR SALE: 93½ acres of rich land in upper bottom. Can be bought dirt cheap. Particulars at this office. tfp.

Mrs. R. J. Bugg, of Bardwell, Ky., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. McPheeters.

Mrs. Belle Ellis has returned from Three States.

You don't have to be a male over 21 years old to vote in the free automobile contest. Just subscribe for the Courier—1000 votes with every dollar—that's all. You voters are the ones to say who will drive that new Chevrolet next year. Vote.

Miss Effie Bruer returned Saturday from Fulton where she attended court.

Sam Barry is visiting friends in Fulton this week.

STOP—at the Price Hotel —

good meals only 35c.

Mrs. T. A. Ledford returned home Sunday after a visit to Miss Ruby Fleming, of Midway, Ky., Mrs. E. D. Humphry, of Hopkinsville, and attending the U. D. C. meeting at Lexington.

FOR SALE: Reg. saddle colt, as well bred as any in Ky., and a very fine individual, six months old. Cash or good note.—T. T. Swayne.

Dee McNeill was in Paducah Monday and Tuesday.

Fresh country sorghum.—Prather.

ROUTE FIVE NEWS.

The farmers are busy since the rain breaking the ground for wheat and grass seed.—Henry Howard, Jr., is out of school this week on account of crippled ankle.—Jim Osborn and Dolph Hick went to Union City one day last week on business.—Mrs. Eva Allen was in Hickman one day last week shopping.—Mrs. Sue Howard and Dora Howard were in Hickman one day last week.—Mr. and Mrs. Grady Marlow visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady, of Protomus, Sunday.—H. W. Howard and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burham, of near Clayton.—Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wilson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pewitt, of Hickman, Sunday.—Whooping cough is still raging in this vicinity.—Mrs. Homer Jones is on the sick list.—Master Robert E. Cloar, of Fremont, was the guest of Master David Cloar Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Howard and son spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Cheatham Glover and family, of Hickman.—Buck Escue and Hubert Vaught motored to Hickman Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Claud Grady and children were visitors of Sam Grady and family, of Protomus, one day last week.—The relatives and friends of S. A. Hicks met at his home one day last week and enjoyed a big dinner consisting of fish, chickens, cake, and all other good things to eat.—Mr. and Mrs. Al Underwood and Mrs. Ida Hawkins, of Fremont, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards.—Mr. Freeman and family, of Weakley county, spent Friday night with Z. D. Wilson and family.—Elmer Glover, of Hickman, spent a few days with relatives around here last week.—Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Rogers and daughter visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Ora Smith, of Possum Trot, Sunday.—Miss Lovie Hicks returned from Benton county last week where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruth Baker, a few days.

The Price Hotel will take two or three more regular boarders, with room and meals at \$5 per week.

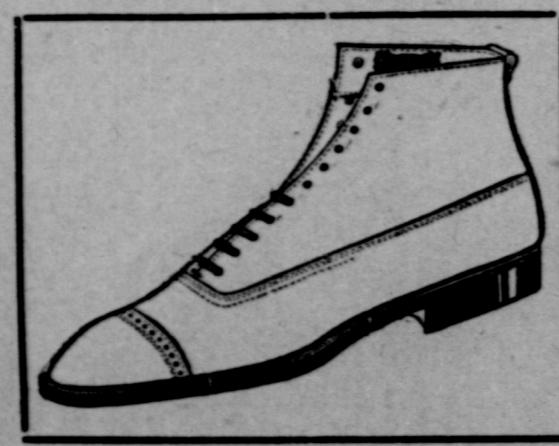
Get Ready for Winter

A Great Money-Saving Opportunity in Shoes

When we say "MONEY-SAVING" we mean to give you 100% value for your money; not a \$2.00 shoe for \$2.50; but a \$2.50 shoe for \$2.00 and so on up to the highest price shoe we handle.

We are not hallowing high priced shoes this Fall. We bought before the advance, and are giving our customers the advantage of our buying, so just give us a chance to back up our statement. This applies to Men's, Boys' and Little Gents' Shoes.

Most Everything in this Department
Is Being Sold at Old Prices.



BALTZER & DODDS DRY GOODS CO.

Incorporated
"THE STORE THAT LEADS"

How About Your Measure for Your Fall Suit? *What your Tailor?*

HICKMAN ONE DAY ONLY MONDAY, OCT. 9

"CRUSH SMALL PAPERS."

Unless the print paper situation is relieved before long half the country papers in the United States will have to suspend publication, temporarily at least. Bruce Bliven, professor of journalism at the University of Southern California, Saturday told the members of the Southern California Editorial Association in convention.

Judge E. J. Stahr went to Paducah Monday to attend a meeting of the First District Democratic campaign committee, of which Judge Stahr is the Fulton county representative.

Live dealers sell LEMOLAC, the pleasant substitute for Calomel.

REVENUES INCREASE.

A report issued Friday by the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway shows that the operating revenues of the company for the two months from July to August 31 this year were \$378,243.41 more than the revenues for the same two months in 1915.

It was also pointed out that the expenses for these months were \$203,924.15 more than the expense in July and August last year.

Backward, turn backward, old Calomel with your gripe. Give me some LEMOLAC for just tonight.

Safety first. Bring us your prescriptions.—Hickman Drug Co.

Courier's Home Circle

It is one of the paradoxes of life that the more a woman keeps her husband in hot water the colder he grows toward her.

The man who never praises his wife deserves to have a poor one. And the man who praise a good wife more than she deserves hasn't been born yet.

A happy home does not result from a large income. A large amount of love, plenty of good sense and a very little money will make a happy home circle.

Never think you can afford to be dowdy at home. Cleanliness, hair well dressed, and a smile will make calico look like silk in the eyes of a father or brother.

When crepe on the door tells of a mother gone, only those who have moistened a mother's grave with their tears can fully understand and read aright the black threads in the bow.

We know from sad experience that it is very inconvenient to be poor, but no man is poor who has a happy home and it does not require lace curtains or velvet carpets to make a home happy.

Many a child goes astray, not because there is want of prayer or virtue at home, but simply because home lacks sunshine. A child needs smiles as much as flowers need sunshine.

There are many happy homes, thank God, in every community, and when they exist there goes out from them a blessed influence which can hardly be overestimated. "A real home with a mother in it," whose hospitable doors are ever open to those not so blessed, is a wonderful power for good.

Let us take time to get acquainted with our families. The wealth you are accumulating may be a double blessing to the son who is a stranger to you. Your beautifully kept house, busy mother, can never be a home to the daughter whom you have no time to caress.

The virtues grow about the home. They cluster, bloom and shed their perfume around the fireside. Love, husband, wife, father, mother, child and home—without those words the world would be a barren wilderness, and men and women but brutish beasts.

There are none of us so poor but we can train a few roses on the humble wall and their scent and beauty will long be remembered, and many a boy, instead of going to loaf upon the public highway will linger at home among the flowers. Moral: degradation always begins at home.

Of all places on earth, home is the most delicate and sensitive. Its chords move with a breath; its fires are kindled with a spark; its flowers are bruised with the least rudeness. Here our hearts wear no covering, no armor. Every arrow strikes them, every cold wave blows full upon them. If we would have a true home, we must guard well our thoughts and actions.

Why is it that we so easily forget that the little things in life are what make it easy or hard? A few pleasant words, a warm hand clasp, a cordial letter, are simple things, but they are mighty in their influence on the lives of those about us, adding a ray of hope to many disconsolate hearts, giving a bit of courage to disappointed, weary ones and helping to make our own lives sweeter at the same time.

When hearts are broken and friends fail, this active stirring world of ours makes room for us all to go to work and forget our trouble. If it were not for some thing to do and the chance to do it, what would become of the mother when her baby dies? Do you think she would ever recover from such an anguish if she found nothing to do but to clas-



Does yours bring joy to the breakfast table?

North—East—South—West—men are solving the coffee problem.

Armies have solved it. "An army travels on its stomach" and of the army breakfast, ask any soldier what he would miss most.

Famous restaurants have solved it. They know that without the right coffee they would have failed.

One of the greatest American judges has said that unhappiness in the home

commences with the first cup of poor coffee.

There is a coffee which brings a million men to breakfast "in a hurry"—a coffee that makes all these men eager to get to the breakfast table, slow to leave it.

Your grocer has this coffee—Arbuckles'. Today you can introduce its rich, full flavor in your home. Serve Arbuckles' for a week and notice how much more his breakfast means to him. Bring joy to your breakfast table.

Today there are whole towns where Arbuckles' is practically the only coffee used. In one State, alone, in a year, four pounds of Arbuckles' Coffee was used for every man, woman and child in the State—four times as many pounds of coffee as the population of the State!

the empty cradle and fondle the unused garment? Be taken up by doing then, oh, broken hearted children of our common parent sorrow. So shall the heart heal and the balm be yielded. Work will keep off pity's pension list and maintain in your bosom the soul of the dear lost stead fast than that of a whimperer and a craven. Thank the destiny that sends you many tasks for prompt fulfillment and many perplexing things for wise adjustment, otherwise you would never forget the wound that throbs with fresh pain whenever night comes and the duties of the day are hushed to rest.

HEAD-OFF THAT ALL-WINTER COLD.

At the first sign of sore throat, tight chest or stuffed-up head take a dose of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. The healing pine-tar soothing honey and glycerine quickly relieves the congestion, loosen the phlegm and break up your cold. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has all the benefits of the healing aroma from a pine forest, it is pleasant to take and antiseptic. The formula on the bottle tells why it relieves colds and coughs. At your druggist, 25c. Advt.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Greer and daughter and Mrs. J. H. Bibb motored through from Ridgley, Tenn., and spent the week with their sister, Mrs. B. F. Ward.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan is scheduled to make an address at Elizabethtown, on Thursday, October 19th, in the interest of the Wilson-Marshall ticket.

The frost damage done to the Wisconsin tobacco crop is estimated at \$1,000,000, and makes 40 per cent of the standing crop a total loss.

LEMOLAC contains no Calomel or other forms of Mercury, yet it takes the place of Calomel.

Senator James will open his Kentucky speaking campaign Oct. 16th at Mayfield.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT.

R. B. (Dick) Marshall's lawyers this week filed a suit in the federal court for the Western District of Kentucky against Sabe Choate for \$25,000 for defamation of character and malicious prosecution.—Union City News-Banner.

Two Charleston doctors—A. R. Chapman and H. L. Reid, are being sued by Cal Watley, a former Iron Mountain employee, for malpractice, alleging that they butchered his leg when they amputated it following an accident that befell him on the railroad at Charleston about two or three years ago.

On October 25th the Usona Hotel, at Fulton, one of the best known hotel properties in Western Kentucky will be sold at public auction. This property is worth around \$30,000.

CLOSING OUT SALE

I am going to close out my Dry Goods and Shoes, including Hosiery, Underwear, Gingham, Calico, etc. I have decided to cut out my Dry Goods and Shoe Departments and if you want to save money come to this sale.

A few items are given below which will show you I mean business:

Men's Shoes, \$3.50 and \$4.00, cut price	\$2.50
Men's Shoes, \$3.00 and \$3.25, cut price	2.00
Ladies' Shoes, \$2.50 and \$3.00, cut price	2.00
Odds and Ends Shoes, cut price	1.75
Misses' Shoes, \$2.00 to \$2.50, cut price	1.50
Boys' Shoes, \$2.50 to \$3.00, cut price	2.00
Men's Hats, \$2.50 to \$2.00, cut price	1.25
Stetson Hats, \$4.50, cut price	3.00
Calico	6c
Outing	10c
Gingham	10c
Children's Cloaks, worth \$3.00, cut price	1.50
Underwear, Hosiery to be closed out at Bargain Prices.	

Groceries, Meat, Lard, Can Goods, Flour and Sugar, in fact, everything in the house will be sold at Cut Price. Come to see me before you buy. Remember the place—next to Bondurant's Gin.

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A Laundry Convenience

A stationary wash tub, with hot and cold running water right at your elbow, takes the drudgery out of washing. No carrying of water. Simply turn a faucet and the water is there—just as you need it.

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Whether your washing is large or small, this system will lighten your work. Let us figure on the installation for you.

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GINS RUNNING FULL BLAST.

The Hickman cotton gins are now running full blast and cotton is coming in at a lively rate, the receipts showing that much more has been received up to this time as against last year for the corresponding period. The staple has been selling at better than 6c a pound in the seed right along.

Fresh cakes and crackers.—Boudrant Bros.

POSTS for sale, cheap.—L. P. Ellison.

A young bride of seven months at Evansville has sued her husband for divorce alleging among other things that he refuses to eat the meals she prepared for him. Girls, the moral of this is that domestic science is more important than china painting or Latin.

LODGE NOTES

L. O. O. M. NOTICE.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose will meet every second and fourth Wednesday nights at their new club rooms at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to attend each meeting. — C. L. Walker, dictator, Chester Barnes, Secy.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M. meets in regular communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month. Visiting brothers always welcome.—Frank Von Borries, Master, H. T. Beale, Sec'y.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., meets in stated convocation on the 3rd Monday night of each month. Visiting companions are extended a cordial welcome.—W. C. Speer, H. P.—W. F. Montgomery, Secy.

SOME CORN RAISERS.

According to the Department of Agriculture reports, the best corn raiser in Kentucky in 1915 was Roy Steele, of Crestwood. He made an average of 155.83 bushels per acre. The champion of the U. S. was Emmet Brantley, of Ethel, Miss., who raised an average of 177.04 bushels per acre.

You can feel safe if we fill your prescriptions.—Hickman Drug Co.

You will never have a friend if you must have one without a fault.

LEMOLAC, the pleasant substitute for Calomel, doesn't salivate, sicken or weaken.

COAL FAMINE IMPENDS.

Kentucky and Tennessee coal operators are unanimous in the opinion that the entire country will face before January 1st the most serious coal famine in its history unless some relief can be obtained from the present critical car shortage.

United States government figures show a 25 per cent increase in coal consumption during the first six months of this year as compared to the same period in 1915. Since July 1st the increase seems to have been greater, while the coal supply has been getting worse.

Operators in this field claim they have done everything in their power to have the coal supply improved, appealing to the Interstate Commerce Commission to no avail.

Prices have advanced by leaps and bounds, but this does the operators little good, as most of them are shipping on low-priced contracts, getting only a three days run with six days overhead expense and labor becoming disorganized because of short runs.

Local railroad men say that the car shortage is due to abnormal improvements of traffic of all kinds and the failure of other roads to return coal equipment.

Operators say they can do nothing more and that it is now up to the railroads and Interstate Commerce Commission to see that coal equipment is given proper handling. This is the only thing that can prevent many steam plants from closing down and keep the public from actual suffering due to inability to get heating coal. Hickman dealers are taking care of their trade so far, but it has been no easy matter to secure regular shipments, and what the future holds, only time will tell.

NOT AN ISOLATED CASE.

Many Similar Cases In Hickman And Vicinity.

This Hickman man's story given here is not an isolated case by any means; week after week, year after year, our neighbors are telling similar good news.

C. A. Watson, Hickman, says: "I suffered from pains in the small of my back, which were always more severe if I stooped or lifted. My back ached at night and in the morning I was nearly lame. I tired easily and occasionally had nervous spells. Headaches bothered me and I was subject to dizzy spells, when my sight blurred. Colds steeled on my kidneys and the passages of the kidney secretions became too frequent. This was particularly annoying during the night and I was often obliged to get up several times. I got Doan's Kidneys Pills at Helm & Ellison's Drug Store, and one box cured me."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Watson.

Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

HAD A LOT OF SENSE.

There was an old geezer and he had a lot of sense. He started up a business on a dollar-eighty cents. The dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad!

Well, he bought more goods and a little more space, and he played that system with a smile on his face.

The customers flocked to his to-by-four and soon he had to hustle for a regular store. Up to the square, where the people pass, he gobble up a corner that was all plate glass. He fixed up the windows with the best that he had and told them all about it in a half-page ad.

He soon had 'em coming and he never, never quit, and he wouldn't cut down on his ads, one jit. And he's kept things humping in the town ever since, and everybody calls him the Merchant Prince.

Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk—why he was doing business when the times were punk!

People have to purchase and Geezer was wise—for he knew the way to get 'em was to advertise.

BAD COLDS FROM LITTLE SNEEZES GROW.

Many colds that hang on all winter start with a sneeze, a sniffle, a sore throat, a tight chest. You know the symptoms of colds, and you know prompt treatment will break them up. Dr. King's New Discovery, has been breaking up colds and healing coughs of young and old for 47 years. Dr. King's New Discovery loosens the phlegm, clears the head, soothes the irritated membrane and makes breathing easier. At your druggist, 50c.

Advt.

LIVED NEAR CRYSTAL.

The remains of Mrs. Millie Pausell, who died at Bernie, Mo., of typhoid fever, arrived here Tuesday and was carried to Mt. Ararat for burial. She was a Miss Knight and lived with her aunt, Mrs. True, near Crystal, until her marriage which occurred about four months ago. She was 17 years of age. Union City Commercial.

Ask for Stone's Cold Tablets.



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Of that system this bank is a part, and it is that part which best represents the banking facilities of this community. It offers to our people the same opportunities that larger institutions offer the people of larger communities.

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DIDN'T GET RESULTS.

CROPS RUINED BY HAIL.

The Mayfield Times says: Ed Moss, clerk at Hotel Hall, this city, has filed suit in the circuit court at Louisville against H. M. Froman, of Carrollton, Ky., for the sum of \$500, alleged due under an agreement with defendant for work done in the interest of Froman, during his candidacy last year for Commissioner of Agriculture. Mr. Moss also asks a judgment of \$175, alleged due for money spent out of his own pocket in the interest of Froman's candidacy, the defendant having promised, but failed, to reimburse him for all money expended in the race.

Most good men have had good mothers.

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An investment of only twenty-five cents in our splendid magazine club offer will give you and your family a monthly income of enjoyment and instruction for a whole year. Let us show you these magazines.

Marriage licenses issued in Obion county last week: Ernest McKinley and Jimmie Bitticks, John S. Wilkerson and Neal Vaughn, W. D. Leigh and Eula Herndon, B. B. Alexander and Ruby Henderson, Joe White and Grace Scoggins, Henry Hall and Ella Trice, Ike Toblin and Flora Jackson.

Don't fail to try Martha Washington coffee. Nothing better in Hickman.—Boudrant Bros.

If you should forget the name spell Calomel backwards and you have it again.

Thread, thimbles, buttons, combs, pins, pencils, tablets, ink, pens, and notions of various kinds.—Bettersworth.

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SEED LAW IN EFFECT.

The new pure seed law, enacted at the last session of the General Assembly, and approved by the Governor March 23, became operative last Saturday.

In a bulletin just issued the director of the Kentucky Experiment Station says:

"The interests of both the farmer and the seedsmen are comprehended by the new law. Its intention is to afford the farmer protection against contaminated and worthless seeds and to protect and encourage those parties engaged in the production and marketing of high grade farm seeds. The reputation and adaptation of Kentucky for the seeds of bluegrass, sweet clover, hemp and white burley tobacco is already recognized and the operation of the pure seed law is expected to establish our seed producing industry on a still more secure basis.

"Under the provision of the law now seedmen are permitted to test their own seeds and to use the results of these tests on their tags. But all tests must be made according to the rules and regulations adopted and employed by the Association of Official Seed Analysts of North America.

We make old suits look like new ones. And we are equipped to do all kinds of repair work, cleaning and pressing in exceptionally short time and at astonishingly low prices.

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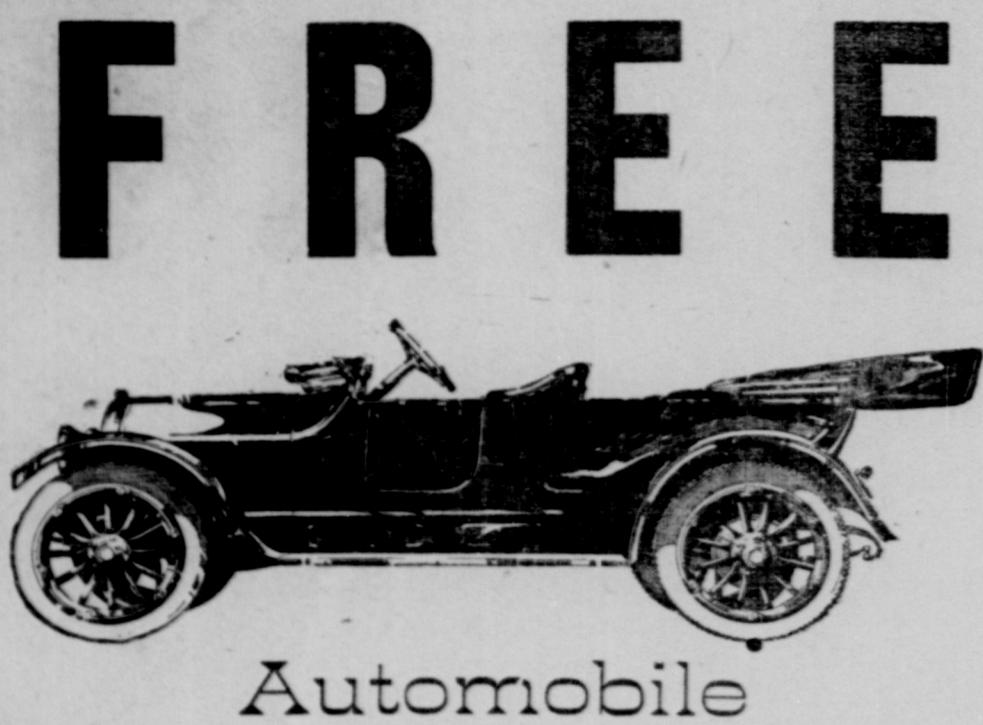
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Votes will be given with every cash purchase at Helm & Ellison's or with every dollar paid on subscription to the Courier.

42-Piece Dinner Set Given Each Month!

To the contestant selling the most due bills.

HOW TO GET VOTES

HELM & ELLISON issues votes as follows: Votes will be given at the rate of 100 votes to the dollar on regular cash sales and purchases. 1000 votes to the dollar on the sale of due bills. 2000 votes to the dollar on Special Sales Days, which are Wednesday and Saturday of each week. 1000 votes to the dollar on accounts made before the beginning of the campaign.

THE HICKMAN COURIER issues as follows: 1000 votes for each dollar on subscription. On bargain days—Wednesday and Saturday of each week—2000 votes are given on each dollar received on subscription. No votes given on amounts under \$1.

Votes are printed on different colors of paper—and one certain color is used from the 15th of one month to the 15th of the next. The color used this month will not be good unless deposited in the box before the 15th of next month, as the votes are to be counted on the morning of the 15th of each month.

Ballot box at Helm & Ellison's store. Votes counted and standing of contestants published once a month. Vote by number, writing the number of your favorite on the back of your voting coupon. Watch the Courier for standing of candidates each month. Any lady may enter the contest, it costs absolutely nothing. The prizes are going to go. Ask for further particulars.

BARGAIN Day Specials at HELM & ELLISON'S

SATURDAY: Nyal Remedies

For every dollar spent for these famous remedies, 2,000 votes will be given.

WEDNESDAY: Vinol

For every dollar spent for Vinol, 2,000 votes will be given.

FARM FOR SALE

A 360 acre farm at a bargain, 15 miles west of Hickman, Ky. Seven houses, three barns, fine corn and cotton land.—W. S. Edwards (owner), New Madrid, Mo. 10-5p

Lax-Fos, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic Does Not Gripe nor Disturb the Stomach. In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

Mrs. F. S. Moore and Mrs. L. A. Stone entertained Wednesday afternoon of last week from 3 to 5 at Bridge in honor of Mrs. Lily Wall, of Tampa, Fla., Misses Mabel Truby, of Nashville, and Marie Brevard, of this city. The home was beautifully decorated in Golden Rod. At the close of the game a delectable salad course and ice was served. Those present were: Mesdames W. B. Amberg, Mollie Prather, C. M. Reynolds, T. T. Swayne, H. N. Cowgill, J. M. Hubbard, E. B. Prather, F. M. Maddox, Nannie Kingman, L. P. Ellison, L. H. Kilpatrick, Jessie Dillon, C. B. Travis, J. W. McPheeters, R. G. Stone, C. T. Bondurant, J. T. Stephens, F. E. Case, R. L. Bradley and Henry Sanger.

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MINIMUM LOAN PRICE
12 CENTS ON COTTON.

Henry N. Pope, president of the Farmer's Union President's Association, has submitted to all southern members of Congress the suggestion that Congress fix or empower the federal reserve board to fix a minimum loan price of 12 cents per pound on cotton for all crops. A large majority of the replies from Senators and Representatives favor the plan, and Mr. Pope stated that he would call a special meeting of his association in New Orleans at an early date to give it final consideration and work out the details.

President Pope states that there should be a careful distinction between the loan minimum and the selling minimum of cotton. "The loan minimum should be protected by the government," he said, "and cotton would, of course, never be sold below that point. The selling minimum is one that the union advises its members to sell, and may vary from crop to crop or from time to time. With a protection loan minimum of 12 cents the selling minimum of 20 cents can be easily obtained. The government would never be called upon to put up one cent under this plan, for when a farmer knows he can borrow 12 cents per pound on cotton he will never sell unless he can get a much higher price. Neither could the consumer be penalized for the fluctuations in the price of cotton, has little effect upon the price of the finished product to the consumer. We expect to mature our plans at our meeting at New Orleans, and it is likely we will seek the counsel and approval of the federal reserve board before presenting our plans to Congress."

Mayor Dillon will likely appoint a committee to represent the citizens and extend our visitors a cordial welcome, showing them that true Kentucky hospitality exists in the extreme corner of the State, as well as the Blue Grass.

MOTHER LOVE AIDS SON IN TRENCHES.

It Brings Relief to Boy Standing His Watch Deep in Mud.

Once upon a time, only a few months after this terrible world war had begun, Private Bailey, a soldier in the ranks had stood for days in the trenches "somewhere in France." The cold rains soaked him to the skin; the mud was deep. He had had no rest. Weary and aching with rheumatic pains, he recalled the faith his mother had in Sloan's Liniment. He asked for it in his next letter home. A large bottle was immediately sent him and a few applications killed the pain, once more he was able to stand the severe exposure. He shared this wonderful muscle-soother with his comrades, and they all agreed it was the greatest "reinforcement" that had ever come to their rescue. At your druggist, 25c, 50c and \$1 a bottle. Ad

USES FOR MARSHMALLOWS.

Marshmallows as a confection dipped in peppermint fondant, are a delightful after-dinner mint. A marshmallow dropped in a cupful of hot cocoa at the children's parties will please them better than whipped cream, and is sc

easy to do. A marshmallow placed on sauted wafers, the small, round ones, and put into the oven to brown, makes most attractive marguerites. Marshmallows cut in quarters with sharp shears and mixed with pineapple and whipped, sweetened, flavored cream, and served in sherbet glasses, is a dainty dessert.

A most delightful fruit salad may be made with pineapple, strawberries, marshmallows, and two or three tablespoons of good boiled salad dressing stirred into a cupful of whipped cream. Serve very cold in a pretty glass dish.

Marshmallows cut up and added to the boiled frosting while it is hot is a favorite filling for a cake as well as a good icing.

Marshmallow Frosting.—Melt one cupful of white fondant, add the white of an egg, beaten stiff, and stir over the fire two minutes; remove from the heat and beat for two minutes, or until stiff enough to spread; flavor with any desired flavoring. This is especially good on chocolate cake.

Marshmallow Paste.—Put a fourth of a cupful of sugar and the same amount of milk in a saucepan, heat slowly to the boiling point, and boil six minutes. Cut a fourth of a pound of marshmallows in pieces and melt in a double boiler; add two tablespoonsfuls of hot water and cook until the mixture is smooth; then add the hot syrup gradually, stirring constantly. Beat until cool enough to spread, then add a half teaspoonful of vanilla. Use either for filling or frosting.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic,
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Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system.
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Fresh country sorghum.—Prather.

W. C. Tipton brought in one wagon load of cotton one day last week to the Farmers Gin that brought him \$238.

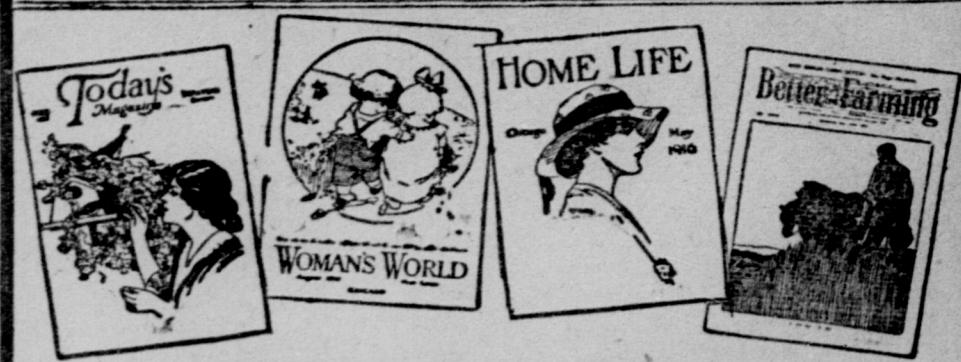
BIG DELEGATION COMING
THURSDAY, OCT. 19th.

The Kentucky State Fire Prevention Association, or rather about fifty of its members, will be in Hickman, Thursday, Oct. 19th, to spend the day with us and tell us how best to prevent fires. These gentlemen are not connected with the fire insurance companies; merely an organization formed to educate people, by simple methods, how to save thousands of dollars a year by preventing fires. The very nature of their mission recommends the visitors to our courtesy and hospitality, and arrangements should be made to properly entertain them while within the city's gates. They will be here all day. They will inspect our fire hazards and tell us how to remove them. Good speakers are among the delegation, and they hope to address a large gathering of men, women and children. Through courtesy of the Loyal Order of Moose, the public meeting will probably be held at their club rooms.

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